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STRONG ANGLO-FRENCH NOTE ALLEGED

INDIGNATION IN ITALY

Rome, Feb. 18.

Great indignation has been aroused in Italy by the publication of a report in the *Giornale D'Italia*, Mussolini's organ, from its Paris correspondent, alleging that France, with the adherence of Britain, has sent Austria an unusually strong Note regarding arms movements.

It is stated that the Note was despatched as a result of the discovery made that a large number of rifles and machine-guns had been sent to the Austrian arms factory at Hirtenburg from Italy for reconditioning.

The Paris correspondent declares that the French Note voices the allegation that these arms were intended for the secret arming of Austrian fascists.

The Note is said to demand that the arms be sent back to Italy or destroyed and a sworn assurance to the effect that such action has been taken given to the British and French representatives.—Reuter.

SHANGHAI WAR TRAGEDY

NAVAL MEMORIAL SERVICE

(Special to "Telegraph")

(By Telegraph. Copyright, Telegraphic Message Ordinance, 1924. Received, February 14, 1933.) Shanghai, Feb. 18.

Memorial services were held yesterday at the Hungjiao Cemetery by Captain Drow, the commander of H.M.S. *Suffolk* and officers of the same ship, together with a detachment of sailors, in commemoration of the deaths of Able Seaman H. A. Francis and Able Seaman H. G. Prior, who were on duty on Hongkew Wharf when a Chinese three-inch shell, aimed at a P. and O. steamer, was taken for a Japanese transport exploded.

They were the first foreign fatalities in the Shanghai "War." Their shipmates aboard the *Suffolk* were greatly grieved by their loss and laid wreaths on their graves yesterday to show that they have not forgotten.—Reuter.

OFFICER "SPY" SENSATION

G.C.M. DATE NOT YET FIXED

London, Feb. 17.

The War Office announces that the officer under arrest in the Tower of London is Lieutenant N. Baillie-Stewart, of the Seaforth Highlanders, who will be charged with committing breaches of the Official Secrets Act.

He will be tried by General Court Martial, but the date has not yet been fixed.—Reuter.

BRITISH RETAIL PRICES

SLIGHT DECREASE REPORTED

London, Feb. 17.

On February 1st, the average level of retail prices of commodities was approximately 41 per cent. above the level of July, 1914, as compared with 42 per cent. one month earlier, and 47 per cent. one



Picture shows the ruins of Chinese barracks at Nanking, after a bombardment. There was a further brush between the Japanese and Chinese in this locality yesterday.

SUICIDE AT G.C.H.

MR. SHAND FOUND DEAD

The death occurred under tragic circumstances this morning of Mr. J. T. Shand, assistant apothecary in the Medical Department who was found lying dead at his desk in the dispensary of the Government Civil Hospital.

It was shortly before nine o'clock that a hospital attendant had occasion to go into the dispensary, and on entering the room, he saw Mr. Shand lying across the desk at which he usually worked. An examination showed that Mr. Shand was dead. The police were later called in, and as the result of investigations they state the circumstances of the death indicate the probability of suicide by poisoning.

The late Mr. Shand joined the Government service in 1924, prior to which he was for several years employed by The Pharmacy. He was 39 years of age.

The deceased leaves a widow and two children, with whom much sympathy will be felt.

MR. ROOSEVELT IN NEW YORK

PLATOONS OF POLICE GUARDS

(Special to "Telegraph")

(By Telegraph. Copyright, Telegraphic Message Ordinance, 1924. Received, February 14, 1933.) New York, Feb. 17.

Mr. Franklin Roosevelt's return to New York was marked by the most elaborate precautions.

A crowd of about a thousand welcomed him at Jersey City where five hundred police and detectives immediately surrounded him and escorted him to the ferry for Manhattan Island, where two hundred police conducted him by a secret route to his home.—Reuter.

MOUNT EVEREST EXPEDITION

LEADERS FLYING TO INDIA

London, Feb. 17.

The three *Puss Moth* aeroplanes piloted by leaders of the British Mount Everest Expedition, which flew from England to Lyons yesterday, continued their journey to India to-day.

They flew to Marseilles this morning and later left for Sarzana in Italy.—British Wireless.

CONCERT CANCELLED

Owing to the sudden illness of two of the principal performers, the M.C.L. concert at the Cathedral Hall this afternoon

NEW MORATORIUM FOR GERMANY

BANK "STANDBILL" AGREEMENT

Berlin, Feb. 17.

The standstill agreement in regard to Germany's short-term debts has, after long negotiations, been prolonged for a year from February 28, when the existing agreement expires.—Reuter.

TOBACCO PREFERENCE

NEW ORDER BY LOCAL GOVERNMENT

TEN PER CENT.

Under a resolution which is to be introduced in the Legislative Council, and which has already been given the full force of law under an order made by the Governor, Empire tobacco, cigars and cigarettes are to be given a preference of approximately ten per cent.

Excepting for a slight increase in respect of cigarettes, the duties on non-Empire products remain unaltered.

EMPIRE ORIGIN DEFINED

For the purpose of the resolution, tobacco is deemed to be of "Empire Origin" if it is proved to the satisfaction of the Superintendent of Imports and Exports to have been substantially manufactured in and consigned from the British Empire, as defined above. Provided that no tobacco shall be deemed to be substantially manufactured within the British Empire unless, in the opinion of the Superintendent of Imports and Exports, at least one quarter of its value is the result

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FIRST THREAT OF HOSTILITIES

BEING IGNORED BY THE CHINESE

PEKING, FEB. 18.

A CHINESE OFFICIAL COMMUNIQUE REPORTS THAT THE JAPANESE COMMANDER AT TUNG LIAO HAS DELIVERED AN ULTIMATUM TO THE CHINESE COMMANDER AT KAILU, IN THE NORTH-EAST CORNER OF JEHOL, ONE OF THE POINTS OF THE INTENDED INVASION, ORDERING HIM TO EVACUATE THE CITY IMMEDIATELY, OTHERWISE HE WILL BE ATTACKED.

THE CHINESE HAVE DECIDED TO IGNORE THE THREAT.—Reuter.

MANCHUKUO ALREADY DOOMED

"SPECTATOR'S" VIEWS

JAPAN UNEQUAL TO VENTURE

(Special to "Telegraph")

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The fate of Manchukuo is already sealed in the view of the majority of the week-end reviews.

The effect of the League resolution, which the United States certainly, and the U.S.S.R. probably, will endorse is that there will be no government in the world which will recognise Manchukuo as an independent State, says the *Spectator*.

No money market would countenance the floating of a Manchukuo loan, while, in the circumstances, the likelihood of money for Manchukuo being forthcoming from either official or private Japanese sources is small, according to this journal.

POWERFUL WEAPON.

This, it is pointed out, emphasizes the value of one weapon which the League can always bring into play without going to the length of discussing active sanctions.

Meanwhile, the League clearly cannot content itself with voting for the Committee of Nineteen's Report and Recommendations and then washing its hands of the matter.

MAIN OBJECTS.

There are two main objects to be attained.

The first is the establishment of a regime in Manchuria based upon an agreement between China, Japan and the League and owing nothing to the support of Japanese bayonets.

The second necessity is the restoration of relations of normal cordiality between Japan and the League.

For the moment, Japan may leave the League and force may prevail in Manchukuo and Jehol, but it seems inevitable that Japan will prove unequal to the adventure.

Meanwhile, the *Spectator*

urges all States to prohibit the export of all classes of munitions to Japan.—Reuter.

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LEAGUE PUBLISHES REPORT

NOTABLE TRIUMPH FOR LYTTON MISSION

VERDICT AGAINST JAPAN

Geneva, Feb. 17.

The Committee of Nineteen's Report was issued for publication to-day and it marks a notable triumph for the Lyttton Report.

Practically the whole of the Lyttton Report is embodied in the Committee's Report in some form or other.

It opens with the first eight chapters of the Lyttton Report, which it describes as a balanced, impartial and detailed statement of the historical background.

Then follows a very complete historical review of events since September 18, 1931, when the Japanese captured Mukden.

Proceeding, it details the League's attempts to curtail the conflict, citing various League resolutions, together with the League Covenant, the Kellogg Pact, and the Nine-Power Treaty, upon which its ultimate recommendations are based.

POWERFUL WEAPON.

The recommendations quote textually the Lyttton Report including the ten principles laid down in Chapter Nine. These principles will be the guiding lines for the Negotiation Committee (which, however, is never likely to operate).

The Report throughout emphasizes that the sovereignty of Manchuria belongs to China and that it has been infringed by Japan.

It insists upon the rectification of this infringement by the withdrawal of Japanese troops and so on.

NO RECOGNITION.

While the recommendations do not provide for a mere return to the *status quo* of September, 1931, they exclude the maintenance and recognition of Manchukuo as incompatible with the fundamental principles of international obligation and lasting peace in the Far East.

It is added fellow members of the League will continue not to recognize this regime either *de jure* or *de facto*.

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The Report has been prepared in accordance with Article 15, Paragraph 4, of the League Covenant, following the failure of the committee to effect a settlement by conciliation, under paragraph 3 of

Article 15.

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THE WORLD OF WOMEN



TO-DAY'S RECIPES.

Suggestions for Tea.

Sandwiches cut in fancy shapes with a pastry cutter. The fillings, which should not be put in so lavishly that they spread all over fingers and faces, might be of apricot jam, home-made potted meat, minced figs, dates, and chopped nuts.

Jellies in individual glasses; raspberry flavour is a favourite, and adds a touch of colour to the table.

Trifle, made with pineapple juice instead of sherry; different kinds of jelly whisked up and decorated with glace cherries; junket, if the small children are in the majority; a chocolate log cake; little orange-flavoured buns with water icing flavoured with orange; home-made cream buns; little Swiss rolls, and sponge buns with plain icing.

Dainty sweet biscuits—obtainable in great variety this year. Plates of these are a decorative addition to the table, and are bon-bon dishes filled with sweets.

A Secure Envelope

Envelopes are sometimes disappointing, and refuse to remain securely fastened. Where this is the case, seal it with white of egg; treated in this way, it cannot be stamped open.

cellent French tango dancer. Repeat the Chassez four times to the left, turn and go left again, if you are the man, keeping the woman about six inches in front of you so that your cross-steps won't interfere. She continues to the right, after the turn, repeating this Chassez.

Your music will tell you when these Chassez steps start, when to turn and start the series of four again. But girls must practise alone quite as much as men, for unless each partner knows the steps by heart, it is impossible for the best tango dancer in the world to manage. Practise, before a mirror, arms high, until you could tango in your sleep.



Practice to the tune of "Paris."

By Arthur Murray
New York.—The dance craze of the season is the tango. There are two tangos, the Argentine tango and the French tango. Today we will learn the French tango. It really is a modified form of the native tango, a much more sophisticated dance than the Argentine, the tango that the majority of adults dance.

The Chassez gives the rocking steps, which distinguish the French tango. It combines slow and quick steps, rocking on the slow ones.

Plant both your feet firmly on the ground for all the tango steps. Your body rocks, in undulating motion and you need good balance on firm feet.

Hold your partner about six inches away from you for the French tango. All steps are taken in closed position in the French tango. Take your steps sideways. The man has his back to the centre of the room and goes left. The woman faces the centre of the room and goes sideways to the right. This is how the man does the Chassez, the woman reverses feet, using her right where he uses the left.

1. Take a long slow step with left foot to left side, as shown in the diagram.

2. Cross right foot in front of left; weight on right foot "and" step with left foot to left side.

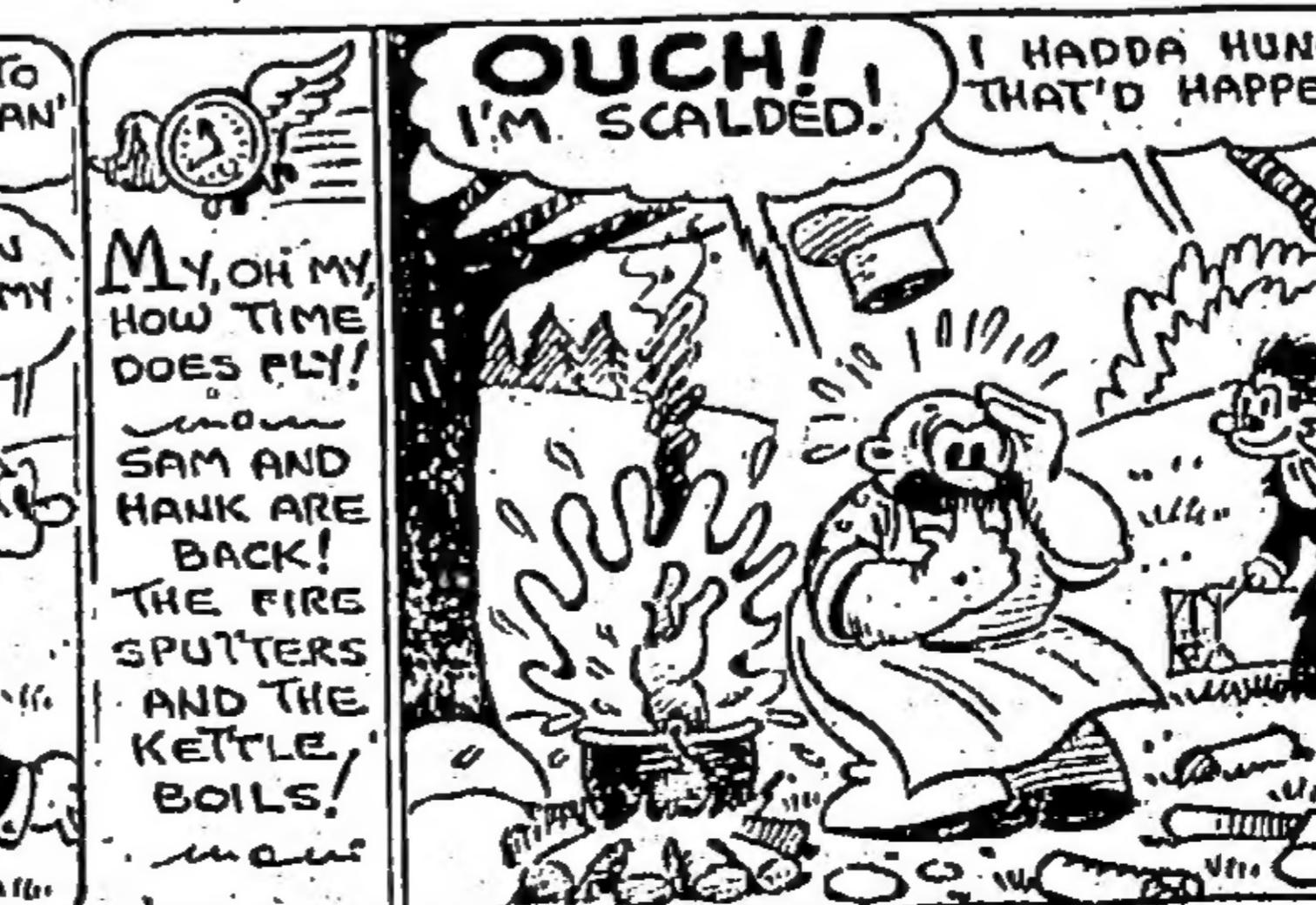
3. Draw right foot up to left.

4. Repeat this movement three more times, making four in all, doing the first step slowly; the last three quickly, with animation.



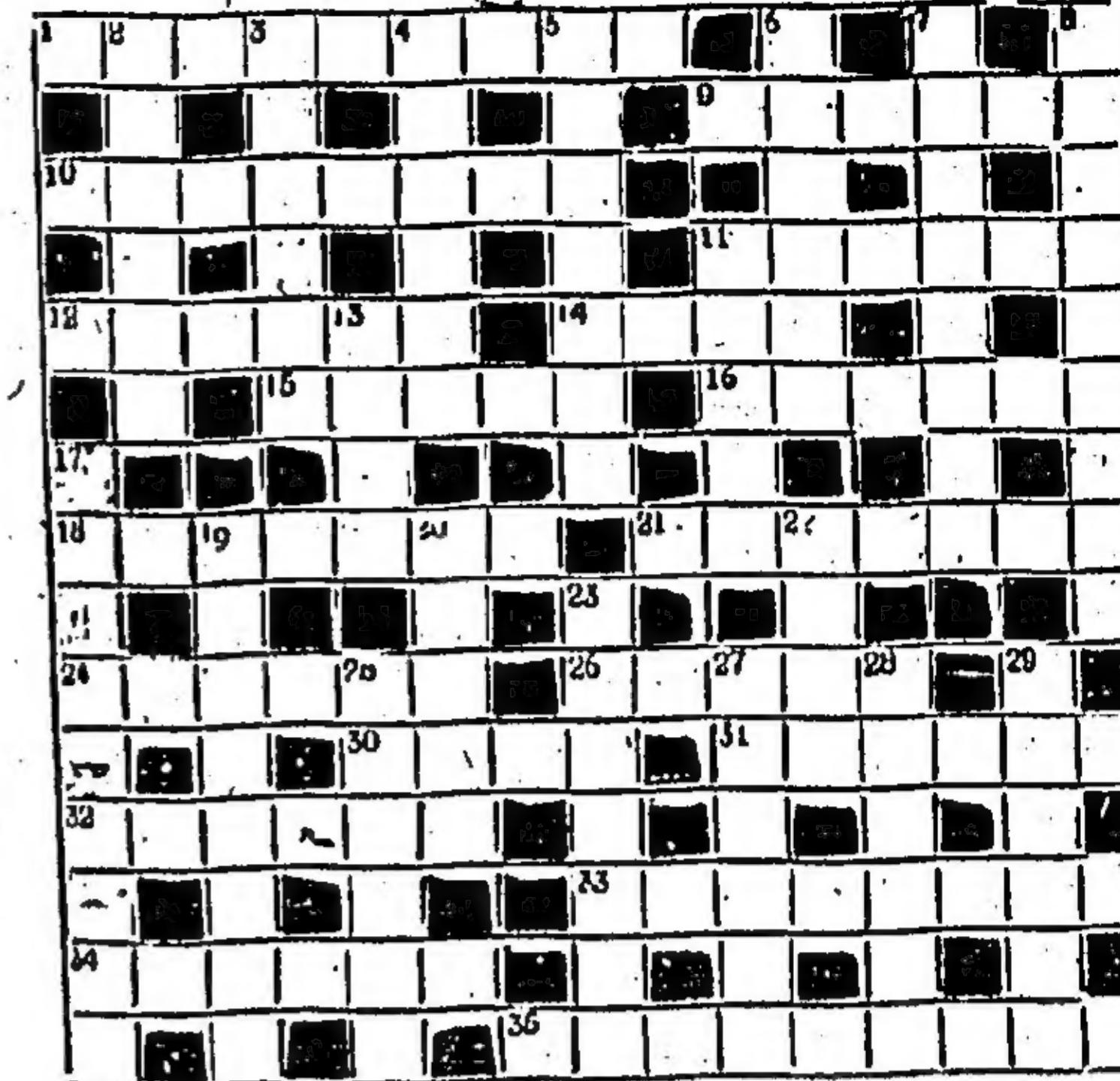
Boots Mallory, Fox Film Star, who made her debut in Walking Down Broadway, with James Dunn, soon to be seen at the King's Theatre.

Right on the Job!



By Small

OUR BRITISH CROSSWORDS



Across
1 The wife of Tiberius, whose ends
form her father.
3 A tradesman who would in well
equipped to hang his harp on
a weeping-willow tree.
10 The cooed about the R.E., and forms
milds for heads.
12 In the twinkling of an eye, in
other words.
14 Flower.
15 The crab is on the table, as
Edith put it there for fun. It
examines Edgar so nicely
(hidden).
16 Town in Gloucestershire.
22 A classic mount.
23 May suggest economy but can-
not always enforce it.
25 Considered dear by writers at
one time.
27 Biblical house.
28 Though this carriage is now
sold out in England it may
be seen any day in Bavaria.

Yesterday's Solution.

softer.
7 Stop by the river crossing in
Devon.
8 Always a prominent American.
11 Hidden in Clue 15.
13 What he who sows may expect
to reap.
17 What the vacuum cleaner
acquires with much that is
indicative of grief.
19 If you want knowledge, this is
inside.
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SPOTLIGHT

BEGIN HERE TO-DAY

SHELLA SHAYNE, 18, whose parents were well known vaudeville actors, is in New York looking for work. Sheila is a girl on the stage, first travelling with her parents, now dead, and later in vaudeville and road shows. Sheila lives at MA LOWELL'S theatrical rooming house.

MARY, a vaudeville performer also out of work, lives there, too. Over the breakfast-table one morning Sheila confides to Mary, "I've been trying to get work and have had no luck like this she has seen in small towns in which she has played."

MA LOWELL introduces them to JOE PARIS, who has come to New York for Sheila. It is an offer for her to fit in for DAVE GLEASON, another dancer, who has sprained his ankle. Sheila agrees and sets off for JOE PARIS' office rehearsal.

At about the same time two wealthy young men, TREVOR LANE and DICK STANLEY, are discussing plans for the party. Lane is in town to see about getting a job in Paris' office to hire some entertainers. They arrive while BILL BRADY, dance instructor, is teaching Sheila the new routine. Stanley sees her dancing and is impressed with her skill and beauty.

CHAPTER V.

Joe Paris moved toward the practice rooms followed by the other two men. "Miss Shayne is booked at Jackson Heights tonight," he said.

Without preamble Joe opened the door. This time there was no halting of step or cessation of the music. It was Joe, the great Paris, and welcome indeed! Joe's presence in a practice room always meant something. Sheila continued with the difficult routine. She was dancing beautifully.

Her eyes met Dick Stanley's as, without stopping, she glided swiftly down the room. She smiled guardedly, a trifle mischievously. So he was a friend of Joe's! Maybe he had brought Joe back. Maybe he was a producer! She decided against this almost immediately, tapping energetically, skimming like a bird across the room, breaking into kicks, tapping again. It wasn't that the newcomer was too young to be a producer! They could be as young as they pleased, providing they had money. This young man was too interested in the things about him. He didn't look bored. And a producer has to learn early to look bored and unimpressed if he doesn't want to be besieged by would-be hangers-on at every turn.

Sheila didn't think the other man was a producer either. Had he been filling the cast of a show he would have watched her for a few minutes and then disappeared. Instead he was talking to Joe and beckoning to Bill Brady.

It was clear however that Sheila was the subject of the conversation. Tapping, whirling, twirling like a flower in brisk wind, she smiled gently, eyes on the ceiling, and danced on.

"This girl's a real dancer," Bill began affably. And again Sheila smiled. Not five minutes before, when she had muffed a turn, Bill had called her hopeless. Five minutes more and he would make her the world's leading dancer. That was show business for you.

Timmy reached the end of the theme and began again but Bill cut in briskly. "That's all, Tim. You, Shayne—come here!"

She was going to meet Joe Paris! He had noticed her! Equally marvelous, she was going to meet this boy who had been watching her. She must look a sight now, her hair every which way, her face beaming. With a crumpled little handkerchief Sheila attempted to repair the ravages of the last two hours. What a moment to come face to face with any young man!

"Well, if he likes me this way he'll like me dressed up. That's one comfort," she thought despairingly. Oddly it did not occur to her to wonder if Joe Paris liked her—Joe, whose approbation could mean instant recognition.

Bill was beaming at her as though she were one of his own prize pupils and drew her into the circle.

"Shayne," repented Joe meditatively, acknowledging the girl's bow with a curt nod. "Shayne. You're Johnny Desmond's daughter, aren't you? How come you changed your name?"

"I—I wanted to make good on my own, Mr. Paris." Her voice was trembling. "I didn't want managers to hire me or agents to book me on my parents' account. You see, if I got anywhere I want it to be because I am a dancer, not because my mother and father were."

The big man nodded approvingly. "Still that doesn't keep you from inheriting Johnny's spunk," he said reflectively. "And you can dance all right. You're good!"

"Good! You can dance all right." Such words as those from Joe Paris! If Joe troubled to praise a routine it meant something. Always considerate, always helpful to an actor in trouble,

or a down-and-outer, Joe never faltered undue pralo.

"The kindest thing," he would repeat firmly and frequently, "the kindest thing you can do for some of them is to send them back to the five-and-dime stores. But if they are good, tell them so!"

Bill glowed at the tribute. "Mr. Lane, here," he said, indicating that gentleman, "is looking for talent."

Sheila's eyes widened expectantly.

"For a party he's giving this evening."

The girl's face fell. "We thought perhaps you'd dance for him," Joe Paris added. "Just a number or two. I know you're booked with Roscoe Moody in Gleason's place."

Sheila showed her surprise. So Joe Paris knew that! That he had known her father did not seem so unusual as did this exciting bit of news.

"We are playing Jackson Heights," Sheila murmured in confusion. "I've been resting lately. I'm—well, pretty stiff."

Joe grinned broadly. If he thought sore muscles a joke, Sheila decided, it must be because he had never experienced them. Or had he?

"Mm," Joe said, while Bill stood by attentively and the others remained silent. "Jackson Heights. That's Bailey's theatre? Well—you could make it in a taxi. After the show. Just a number or so. Is that right, Lane? Or a song?" Bill leaned forward confidentially, though his lowered voice reached and was meant to reach every corner in the room. "Shayne puts over a song number in great style."

Dick Stanley's pleading eyes met the girl's for an instant as she wavered.

"I would like to accommodate you," she began, then added hastily, "but I haven't been dancing. I'll be awfully tired I'm afraid—" "You seem in excellent practice," Trevor Lane began politely.

"It's not that!" Sheila flushed.

"I may be too stiff by that time to dance well. Maybe you've ridden horseback—and know how difficult it is?" She laughed riotously. "Perhaps some other time!"

Her heart was pounding, saying loudly, "You little fool! Why are you refusing? Mr. Stanley will be there! You'll see him! Maybe he will take you home. Tell him you'll be glad to fill in."

"We pay 50—" "Seventy-five!" announced Dick.

briskly, slyly nudging Trevor. "And," grinning boyishly, "we guarantee you an awfully good time. For you'll stay for the party of course!"

This, she knew, was irregular. Unbusinesslike. They got things from you they didn't pay for—extra songs, maybe dances, even a lesson or so. The men gathered around, considering a chorus girl fair prey. The girls snubbed you if you were good-looking, or if you were clever and witty things.

No, the wisest thing was to keep away. Still \$75 is \$75—a full wardrobe with careful buying! A new evening gown, new hat, new suit, shoes!

But why put herself at a disadvantage? Why appear beside society girls, wealthy young women of this man's own set, with the comparison all in their favour? Mettulously groomed, born to luxury and ease, never a worry or thought for tomorrow.

"I'm sorry. I'd love to some other time. It's awfully nice of you to ask me."

"Some other time, then," Trevor Lane said simply. He did not appear even vaguely disturbed. Dick Stanley looked crest-fallen. Joe Paris regarded her doubtfully and Bill glared.

"Can't I persuade you," Dick asked in a low tone as the others moved away.

"No, really I can't do it. Not to-night."

"Suppose I leave the telephone number with the girl? Will you use it if you change your mind?"

She shook her head. "No. Well, maybe. Yes, leave it. But don't be disappointed—"

"Please change your mind. I'll expect to hear from you."

Why hadn't he asked for her telephone number, Sheila wondered as he disappeared in the direction of the others. Didn't he know she had burned her bridges? That she couldn't telephone him now? He thought he could find her in the telephone book, perhaps. As if she could afford her own apartment in these days!

Sheila sighed. An opportunity had vanished. But work remained.

Doggedly she went into the routine, her clicking heels beating out the rhythm as faithful Timmy played.

(To be continued.)

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE.

The Sanitary Board desires specially to draw the attention of the public to the danger from small-pox which is very prevalent at the present time and to the fact that full protection from the disease is afforded by vaccination.

The public is invited to take advantage of the facilities for free vaccination which are available at all Government Hospitals, Chinese Hospitals and Public Dispensaries as well as at the Government Vaccination Centre adjoining the Harbour Office.

J. H. GELLING,
Secretary, Sanitary Board,
Hongkong, 16th February, 1933.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

Notice is hereby given that the Ordinary Yearly Meeting of the Shareholders in this Corporation will be held at the Head Office of the Corporation, No. 1, Queen's Road Central, Hongkong, on Saturday, the 25th February, 1933, at 11.30 a.m. for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Board of Directors together with a Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1932.

The Register of Shares of the Corporation will be closed from Monday, the 13th February, to Saturday, the 25th February, 1933, (both days inclusive), during which period no transfer of shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

V. M. GRAYBURN,
Chief Manager.
Hongkong, 6th February, 1933.

HONG KONG TELEPHONE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the EIGHTH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of the HONG KONG TELEPHONE COMPANY, LIMITED, will be held on Wednesday, the 22nd day of March, 1933, at the BOARD ROOM of the Company, Second Floor, Exchange Building, Hong Kong, at 11.30 a.m. for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the Board of Directors, for the financial year ended 31st December, 1932, and re-electing two Directors and the Auditors.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 16th March to the 22nd March, 1933, both days inclusive.

Dated this 13th day of February, 1933.

By Order of the Board.

W. L. MCKENZIE,
Secretary,
14, Des Voeux Road, Central,
Hong Kong.

CHINA ENTERTAINMENT & LAND INVESTMENT CO. LTD.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Third Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Registered Offices of the Company, King's Theatre Building, 6th floor, on Monday, the 27th day of February, 1933, at 12 o'clock noon to receive the Directors' Report, and Accounts for the year ended 31st December, 1932, to elect Auditors, and to transact such other business as may be properly transacted at an ordinary General Meeting of the Company.

And Notice is further hereby given that the Register and Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 22nd to the 28th day of February, 1933, both days inclusive.

LIANG CHI HAO,
Managing Director,
Hongkong, 14th February, 1933.

CHURCH NOTICES

Sexagesima Sunday

ST. ANDREWS CHURCH.

The following are the forthcoming services, etc., at St. Andrew's Church:

Sunday, February 19.

Sexagesima Sunday.

8.15 a.m. Holy Communion.

10 a.m. Young People's Service

and Primary Sunday School.

11 a.m. Choral Communion and Sermon. Preacher—The Vicar.

3 p.m. Confirmation Class. Sunday School.

6 p.m. Evening Prayer and Sermon. Preacher, Rev. P. M. Dodd, B.D., R.N.

Oxford Group Movement.

A meeting of those interested in the Oxford Group Movement will be held in the Vicarage at 9 p.m. on Sunday evening.

Church Council.

There will be a meeting of the Church Council at 6 p.m. on Monday, the 20th inst.

Dramatic Entertainment.

At 9.15 p.m. on Monday a Dramatic Entertainment will be held in the Church Hall under the auspices of St. Andrew's Club. Tickets \$1 including tax.

The entertainment will include musical items and two sketches.

METHODIST CHURCH (Wanchai).

The following are the forthcoming services to be held at the Methodist Church (opposite R. N. Hospital, Queen's Road, E.).

Sunday, February 19.

Morning Service 10.15 a.m.

Preacher, Rev. E.C.H. Tribbeck.

Sunday School 3 p.m. Final meeting for the Winter season. To be addressed by Rev. E. C. H. Tribbeck.

Evening Service 6 p.m.

Preacher—Rev. E. C. H. Tribbeck.

Friday, February 24.

Weekly Prayer Meeting, 7.30 p.m.

SAILORS' & SOLDIERS' HOME

Saturday, February 18.

A "Ramble," leaving the Home at 2 p.m., which will include a five mile walk, amid delightful scenery and company, at a cost of about 10 cents.

Badminton Tournament, 2.30 p.m.

Sunday, February 19.

Christian Social Hour, 8.15 p.m.

Monday, February 20.

Badminton Club meet.

Tuesday, February 21.

Follow-up Meeting, 8 p.m.

Wednesday, February 22.

A Lecture by Professor W. Brown, of the Hongkong University on the subject "A Visit to East Africa," illustrated by Lantern Slides, commencing 8.30 p.m.

Thursday, February 23.

An Entertainment of Choral and Instrumental music, given by Miss Flint and her Ladies' Choir, commencing 8.30 p.m.

Saturday, February 24.

A "Ramble," leaving the Home at 2 p.m.

UNION CHURCH

(Kennedy Road).

The following are the forthcoming services, etc., at Union Church, Hongkong.

Sunday, February 19, Hospital

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Sunday School, Kennedy Road, 9.30 a.m.

Sunday School, Taikoo, 2.45 p.m.

Morning Service 10.30 a.m.

Broadcast.

Preacher: Dr. A. Sydenham.

Evening Service 6 p.m. Preacher: The Rev. Frank Short.

The Communion of the Lord's Supper will be observed at the close of the evening service.

Offerorries on behalf of the Alice Memorial and affiliated Hospitals.

A Social Hour will be held in the Church Hall after the evening service.

Church Choir Practice. Every Tuesday at 5.30 p.m.

Every Tuesday at 7.30 p.m. Devotional Meeting of the Soldiers' and Airmen's Christian Association. Service men heartily welcomed.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Macdonnell Road, below Bowen Road Tram Station. Sunday Service 11.15 a.m. Subject, "Mind."

The Sunday School is held on Sunday Morning at 10 o'clock. Wednesday Evening Meeting at 6 p.m. Reading Room at above address open Tuesday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon. Monday and Thursday, 5.30 to 7 p.m. The Public is cordially invited to attend the service and visit the Reading Room.

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NOTICE.

CHINA PROVIDENT LOAN & MORTGAGE CO. LTD.

NOTICE is hereby given that the THIRTY-SIXTH ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING of Shareholders in the Company will be held in the Company's Board Room, 3rd floor, Exchange Building, Hongkong, on FRIDAY, 24th February, 1933, at NOON, for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the Directors for the year ended 31st December, 1932, electing Directors and Auditors, and for the transaction of any other Ordinary business of the Company.

NOTICE is also hereby given that the TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be closed from MONDAY, 13th February, 1933, until SATURDAY, 25th February, 1933, both days inclusive, during which period no transfers of shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board,

D. L. KING,
Secretary.
Hongkong, 8th February, 1933.

RACE HOLIDAYS

The Exchange Banks will open at 9.30 a.m. and close at 12 noon for the transaction of public business on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, the 20th, 21st, & 22nd, February, 1933. (Race Meeting).

Hongkong 17th February, 1933.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

YESTERDAY'S MARKET DULL

According to Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz, the New York market was dull yesterday. Business done: 600,000 shares. The Wall Street Journal reports—The market was dull but advanced due to the Repeal of the 18th Amendment being passed by Senate, good reports in trade centres. Michigan situation quiet, firmer commodities and the reassurance that no railroad would be thrown into receivership on March 1st, all of which offset the unfavourable Federal Reserve statement showing an increase of \$149,000,000 in money circulation, largely due to the Michigan situation and also the loss of 24,000,000 monetary gold.

Dow-Jones Averages:

Feb. 16. Feb. 17.

30 Industrials 55.49 56.37

20 Rails 26.33 27.05

20 Utilities 23.50 23.84

40 Bonds 79.12 78.51

Feb. 16. Feb. 17.

American Can 55.62 54.54

American Smelting 12.24 12.24

American Tel. & Tel. 100% 101%

American Tobacco "B" 53.52 54.14

Anaconda Copper 6.34 6.34

Auburn 39.52 40.32

Bethlehem Steel 13.52 12.42

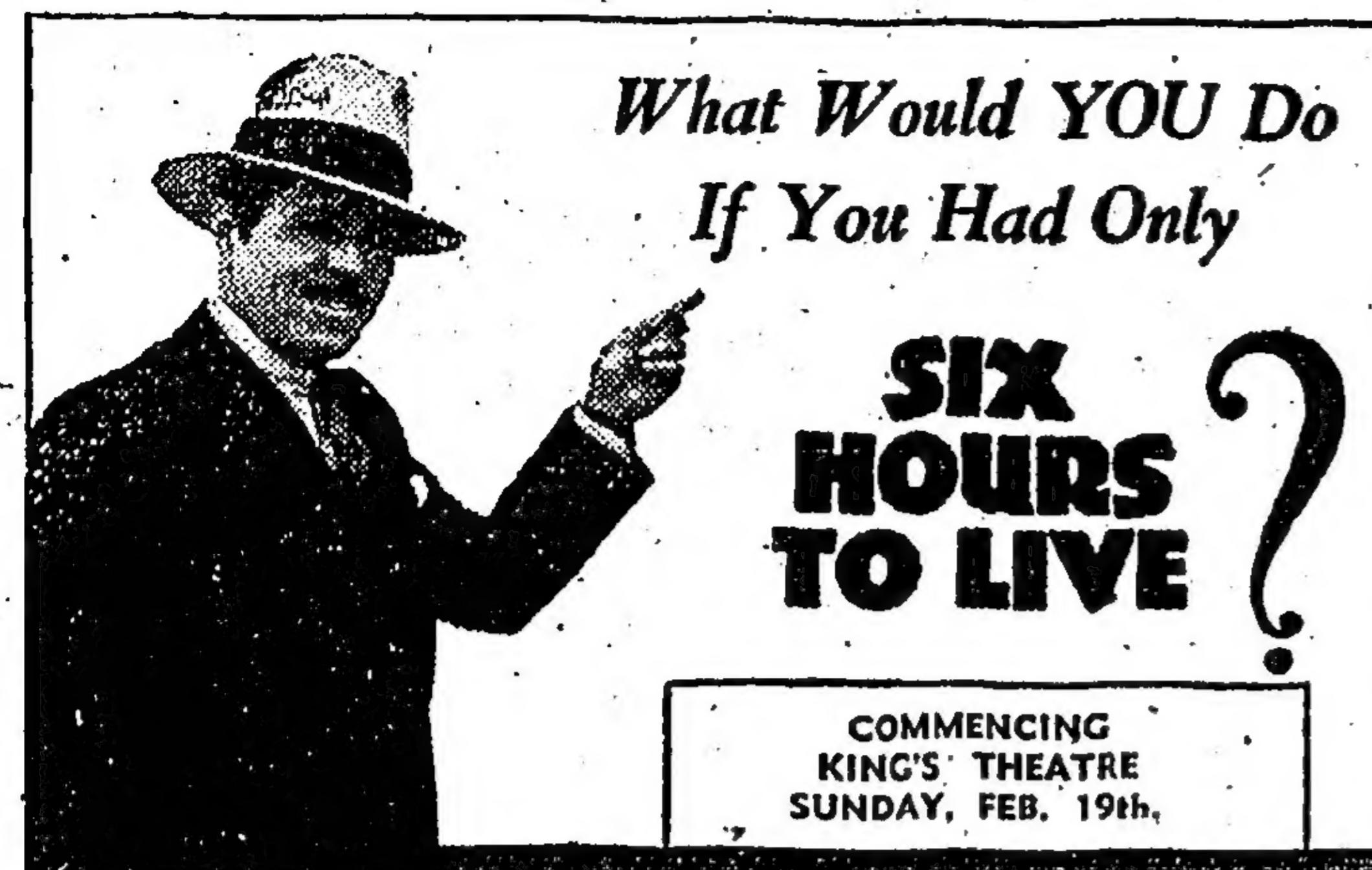
Canadian Pacific Railway 9% 9%

Chase National Bank 20.74 21.14

Chrysler 11 11

Consolidated Gas of New York 48% 48%

Drugs, Inc. 34% 35



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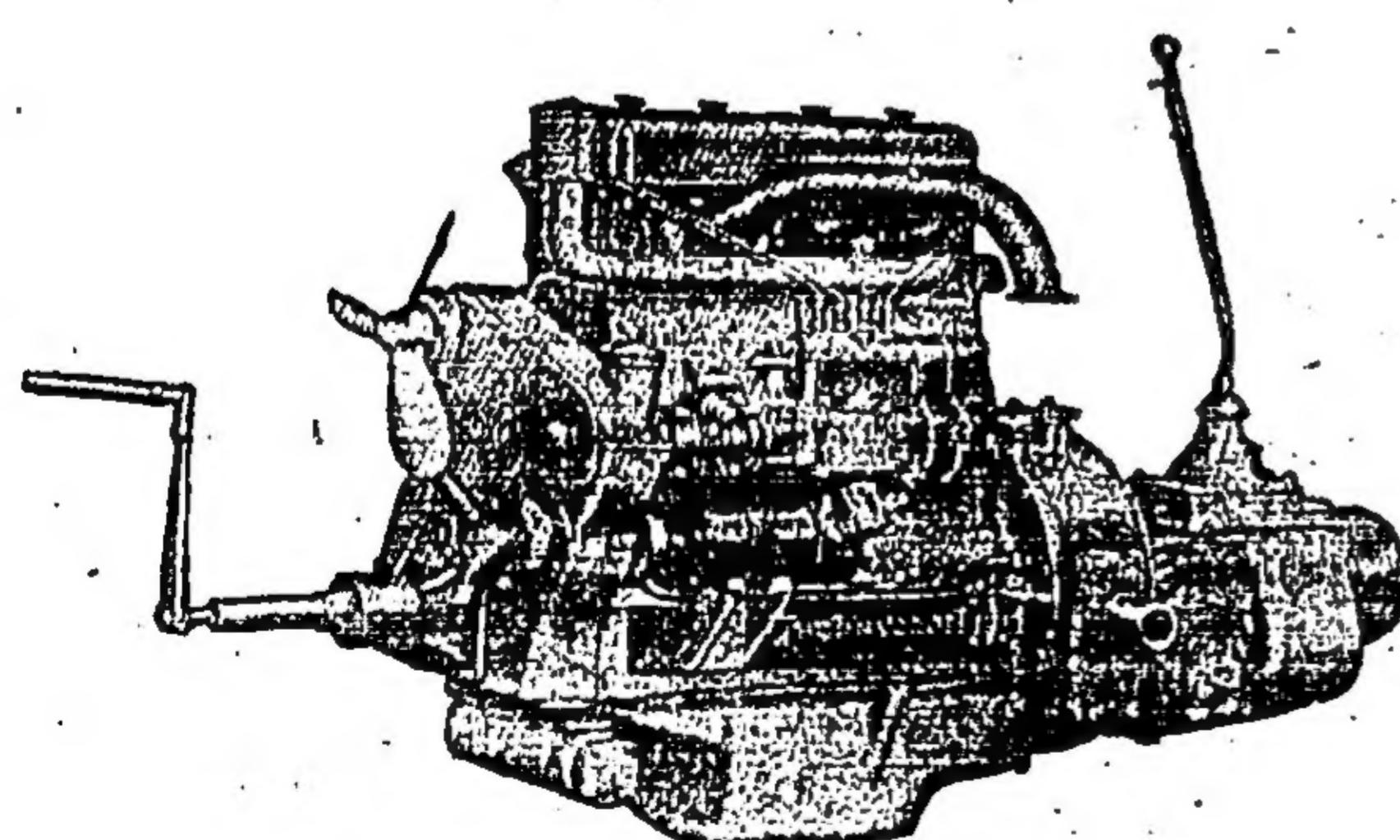
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LONDON CHURCH COMING DOWN

CINEMA MAY TAKE ITS PLACE

A gaunt, lonely building in the Charing Cross-road, W.C., has the notice on its doors: "This church is officially closed." It is the church of St. Mary the Virgin.

The notice will remain until the housebreakers arrive. And then the last act in a long tragedy will be over.

The church has been declared redundant. As such it was marked out for destruction some time ago by the Ecclesiastical Commissioners.

Under the general scheme which was approved by the Bishop of London, the money derived from the sale of the sites of redundant churches is to be devoted to the provision of new churches in thickly populated suburban areas.

Evensong was celebrated in the church for the last time on the eve of the Epiphany, when choir and clergy walked round the building in procession before the blessing was pronounced by the Bishop of Kensington.

Fight For Existence
The Vicar and the congregation fought the demolition scheme to the last. When first the church was declared to be redundant a series of objections earned it a year's reprieve. Final condemnation was fought with a series of petitions, processions, and agitation. The enlistment of public sympathy at one time almost saved the church. If St. Mary's had not the savour of antiquity, it is pleasant in its surroundings. It was built in 1850, replacing another which had been successively a Greek church in the Seventeenth Century and a French Protestant church.

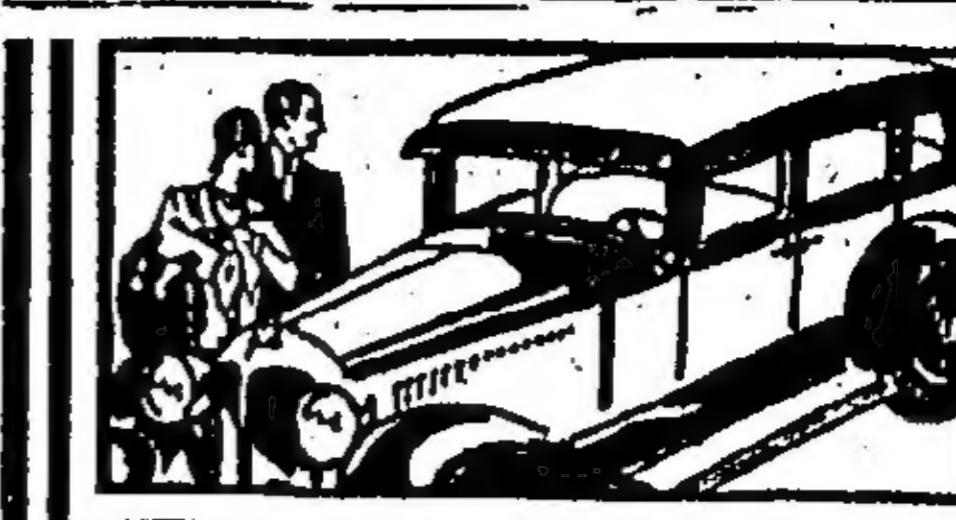
The congregation had dwindled to a handful—fewer than half-dozen at times. It is these alone who will lose their regular place of worship. But it will be missed by the hundreds to whom St. Mary's was a place of occasional meditation and rest. They will not gladly see erected on the site a cinema, which in one of the fates proposed for the site.

CAESAR'S CAMP SAVED

BEAUTY SPOT FOR THE NATION

Caesar's Camp, the treasure of antiquity which forms a "natural annexe" to Wimbledon Common, is to be scheduled by the Commissioners of Works under the Ancient Monuments Act, and will thus be saved to the nation for all time.

A draft Order is under preparation, and persons affected by it



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There has been considerable opposition to the omission of the site from the town planning scheme of the Wimbledon Corporation. The area was set out for development for building purposes when it

should change ownership, and houses were to be erected there ultimately at a density not exceeding four to the acre.

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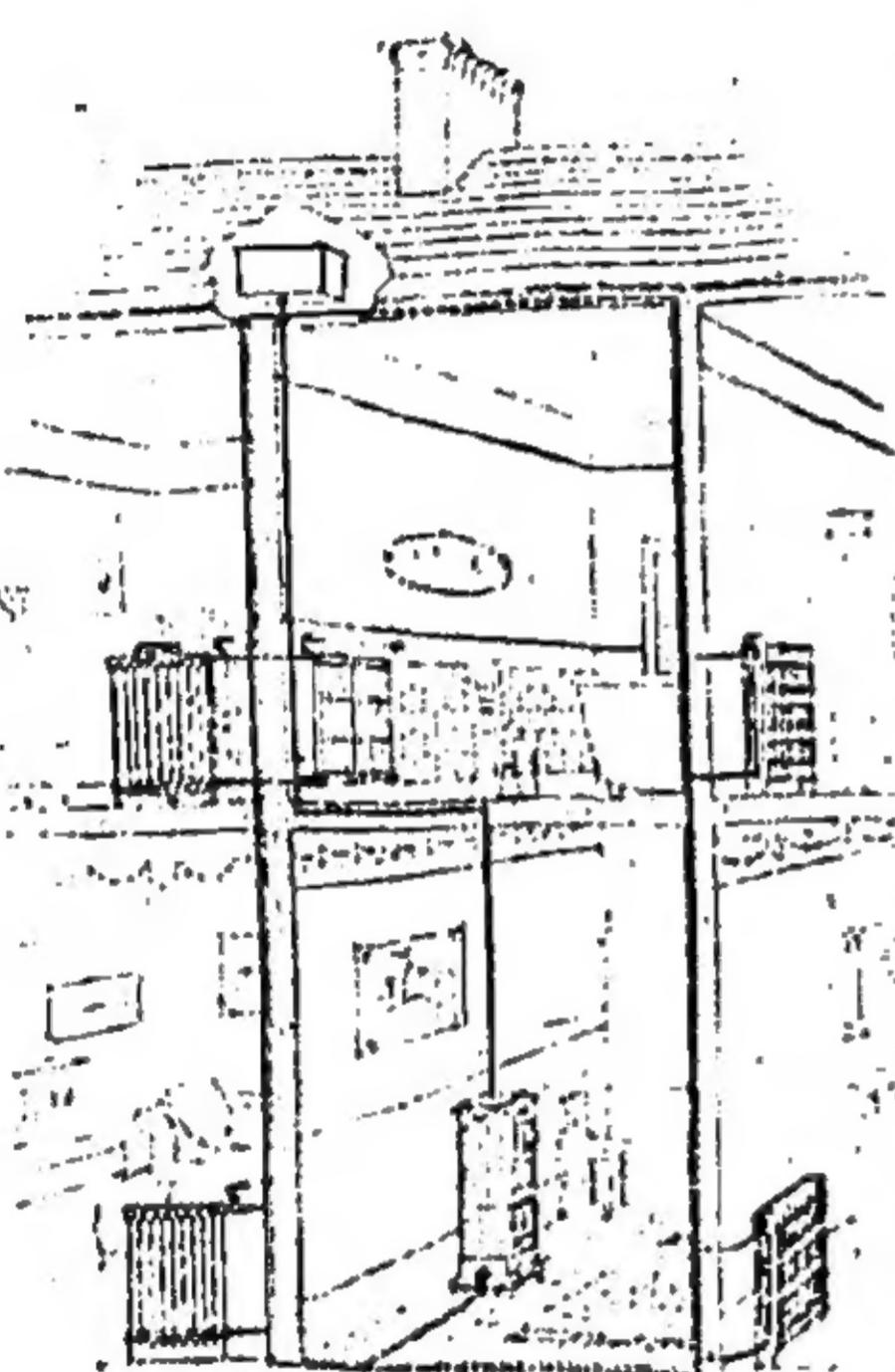
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Bursting bits of shirt.
Shrinking socks in the wash.
Making gravy stains glow phosphorescent blue.

Seeing what "sunlight" can do to "colour-fast" fabrics on a foggy afternoon.

"However good a store may be," the head of the laboratory told a Press representative, "it gets complaints occasionally about the one article in 10,000 that did not live up to its name. Formerly the salesman's only reply to the indignant purchaser would be, I don't understand how it happened. Now we and one or two other stores that are starting laboratories can ask for the article back instead, and scientifically discover whether the article really had a flaw. Look at this, for instance."

He produced a pair of socks marked "Unshrinkable." One would fit boy of ten, the other would be too small for a newly-born child. "I shrank that small one myself, just by washing it in soap and hot water. Obviously, the socks had no right to be sold as unshrinkable at all."

Soaking the Waterproof

Strange instruments lay around the laboratory. One, he explained, was for dropping 20 drops a minute on the same spot on a piece of waterproof cloth. "If the third drop soaks through, the cloth would be useless. But if it stayed dry till the fourth or fifth drop, it would be satisfactory. Actually, one famous brand will stand 70."

Nearby stood the rack on which hundreds of pieces of cloth are torn to ribbons, while a dial marks the pressure at which they split. "We have found," the scientist explained, "that when people complain that a cloth is apt to tear easily, a 40lb. pull on the machine is generally sufficient for the job. It is criminal to sell cloth unless it splits on this machine at a much higher figure."

"We burst bits of shirts and so on, too." He clamped a patch of cloth over an orifice, then pumped thick glycerine up through the orifice. The cloth swelled up like a balloon, and suddenly burst, indicating the fatal pressure on a gauge. "Anything that bursts at under 40lb. per square inch is useless."

The microscope shows what different cloths are really made of, and sometimes, by adding the appropriate acid, the investigators

burn all the wool, or all the cotton away, to see what stays behind.

But the mercury arc lamp is even more useful, for it does two things at once—blazes all day at 2,500 candle-power on "fast-coloured" cloths to see whether sunlight fades them after all, and turns invisible animal stains a phosphorescent blue with the ultra-violet rays it sends through a screen.

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THE VOLUNTEERS

ORDERS FOR THE COMING WEEK ISSUED

Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps. Orders by Colonel L. G. Bird, D.S.O., O.B.E., commanding Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps.

Friday, Feb. 17.

Parades.—(a) Battery—1. Parade for Signal Section at Headquarters at 5.30 p.m., sharp, on Tuesday, February 21st and Thursday, February 23rd. 2. Parade for whole Battery at 5.30 p.m. on Thursday, February 23rd at Headquarters.

(b) Engineer Company—Friday to Sunday, February 17th to 19th Camp at Pakshawan. Monday, February 20th Miniature Range. Thursday, 23rd D. L. Instruction, Wellington Barracks.

(c) Corps Signals—Parade at Corps Headquarters at 5.30 p.m. on Thursday, 23rd February.

(d) Armoured Car Section—There will be no parade on Monday, 20th instant.

(e) Machine Gun Company—The Company will parade as strong as possible on Friday, 24th February at 5.30 p.m. at Headquarters in multi for revolver drill. No. 4 Platoon will proceed to Kennedy Road Range under Capt. H. Owen-Hughes to fire revolver course.

(f) Scottish Company—Thursday, 23rd instant, No. 6 Platoon at Kowloon Dock under 2nd Lieut. T. P. Saunderson. No. 7 Platoon at Headquarters 5.30 p.m. under 2nd Lieut. A. W. Brown. Machine Gun Instruction, Musketry. Members who failed to fire Part III at Stonecutters on Sunday last will have an opportunity of firing the course on Sunday, 12th March.

(g) Portuguese Company—There will be no parade on Tuesday, 21st February. Peak Range. The Peak Range will be available for any members of the Company who wish to make use of it on Sunday, 26th February. Range Officer—Lieut. J. V. V. Remedios. Last tram up 8.30 a.m. Firing will commence at 9 a.m.

Platoon Commanders will please obtain definite promises of attendance from members of their units so that the necessary arrangements may be made for ammunition etc., giving numbers to Lieut. Remedios by Friday the 24th February.

Stonecutters Range. Attention is drawn to the alterations in dates available for firing Classification Tests. Instead of the dates allotted to the Corps, the following are allotted to the Corps: Diary year, March 19th, March 26th, and April 22nd. The Company will have March 5th, and March 19th. (two dates only). Platoon Commanders will please ascertain how their men can best be arranged so as to complete both Lewis Gun and Rifle Classification Tests on these two days, and inform O. C. Company at the earliest possible moment.

Transfer. No. 1887 Pte. C. H. Gutierrez to be transferred to No. 11 Platoon having been posted to No. 12 Platoon in error.

(h) Anzac Company—The Company will parade in full strength at Corps Headquarters on Thursday, 23rd February and not on Monday, the 20th February.

(i) The Officers Commanding the undermentioned Units will issue their Orders separately to their Commands:

I Machine Gun Troop,
II Motor Machine Gun Section.

Corps Diary—Amendments.

(a) Stonecutters Range is allotted to the Portuguese Company on 6th and 10th March.

(b) All Rifle Casuals will fire on 12th March.

(c) The 26th, March and 2nd April are allotted to Vickers Gun Units i.e. Machine Gun Company, Motor Machine Gun Section, Armoured Car Section. Applications for these dates must be made to The Adjutant at once.

(d) Members of the Reserve Company are requested to fire on the 12th March or alternatively at the Peak Range on subsequent dates.

Stonecutters Range Standing Orders Add'l'm.

The attention of Range Officers at Stonecutters is drawn to the following addition:

"A sentry is to be posted on the near corner of the men's Tennis Court when firing is in progress at 600 yds. or 600 yds. to prevent persons crossing the line of fire."

Appointment.

No. 1788 Pte. R. I. Cherrill, Armoured Car Section, appointed

Lance Corporal with effect from 17.2.33.
Struck Off The Strength.

Having left the Colony.

No. 223 Script Drummer W. Brown, Scottish Reserve, as from 10.2.33.
No. 21 L/Sgt. F. C. Goodman, Scottish Reserve, as from 10.2.33.
No. 1551 Pte. J. R. Younger, No. 7 Platoon, as from 10.2.33.

Leave.

Lieut. H. Pooley, A.R.C. Cadre, leave extended to 12.2.33.
No. 1792 Pte. E. Quinlan, No. 2 Platoon, granted 6 weeks sick leave from 12.2.32 to 7.3.33.

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W. H. G. GOATER, CAPTAIN, Adjutant, H.K.V.D. Corps.

Notice.

H.K.V.D. Corps Cricket Fixture.

Sunday, 19th February and Monday, 20th February against Kowloon Cricket Club at K.C.C.

Tuesday, 21st February v. South Wales Borderers at H.K.C.C. Wednesday, 22nd February v. Royal Navy at H.K.C.C.

Rugby Football Match.

Volunteer v. The Army will be played at Sookunpo ground at 4.30 p.m. on Saturday, 25th February.

Hongkong Rifle League.

Hongkong Rifle Club.

Total 506.

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Police Reserve Emergency Unit. Total 420.

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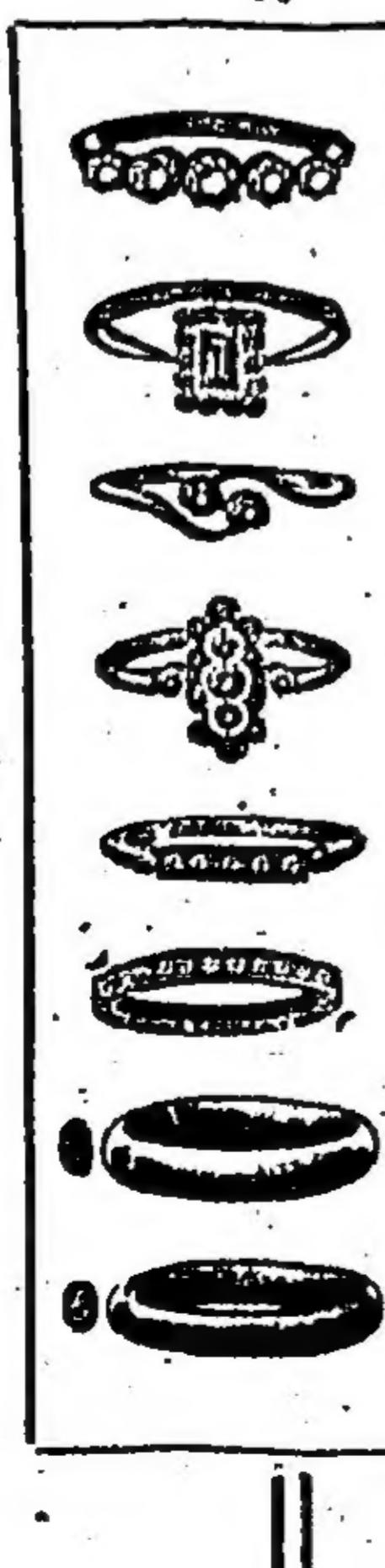
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At an informal luncheon held at noon, business discussions were pleasantly interspersed with colorful motion pictures and the presence of a bevy of beautiful girls who were used most effectively to dramatize the official presentation of the new models to the assembled guests. Music was also provided.

The chief speakers were Albert Russell Erskine, president, The Studebaker Corporation, Paul G. Hofman, president of the Studebaker Sales Corporation of America, and George M. Graham, vice-president of Rockne Motors Corporation. Harold S. Vance, president of Rockne Motors, and D. G. Roos, chief engineer, The Studebaker Corporation, also spoke briefly, detailing the various engineering advancements which feature the new Studebaker and Rockne cars.

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DEATH.

WARD.—At Kennedy Town Hospital at 5.20 p.m. on February 17, Vernon Byron Ward, aged 18 months, dearly beloved son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ward. Funeral will pass the Monument at 3.15 p.m. to-day.

The
Hongkong Telegraph

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 1933.

THE CONTROL OF
AVIATION

Opinion on the question of international control of aviation is still divided. The British contention, that such control is essential if the menace of aerial attacks on cities is to be removed, does not meet with the approval of America, which holds that, by reason of her geographical position, the plan is neither feasible nor desirable. In this connexion, it is to be noted that the Hoover plan of disarmament called for the abolition of all bombing aircraft, but the point that seems to be lost sight of is that civil machines are quite easily convertible into bombing planes. The original British proposals were based on acceptance of any practical scheme to preserve civilians from aerial bombardment, for which purpose it was proposed that all bombing should be within limits defined by an international convention. It was further suggested that there should be limitation of the unladen weight of all military and naval aircraft, as well as of the numbers of such machines. France favours the total abolition of air bombardment, and also urges an organically international air force, to be at the disposal of a State which is the victim of aggression. Britain now comes definitely forward in support of the French idea of international control, and the whole subject is to be studied by a specially-appointed committee. The ideal, of course, is the elimination of warfare altogether, and the establishing of permanent peace. But this is still far from realisation. In the meantime, steps must be taken to stop mankind from becoming the victim of its own inventiveness. Nations have built up fleets of bombing machines, and while they exist, or even while commercial machines which can be quickly transformed exist, the outbreak of war might easily provoke their employment. What is needed is the utter and unequivocal ostracising of aerial warfare and of those who resort to it. By slow degrees the nations are coming to realise the effectiveness of the moral weapon, and there is definite promise of something being done to banish

some of the worst features of warfare. But until this aerial problem is finally settled, the world will continue to be exposed to horrors the full nature of which it is difficult to visualise.

Federal India

Federation between British India and the Indian Native States has definitely emerged as a practical project. The criticism has frequently been made that federation is an impossibility, mainly because the federating units consist of elements so contrary to each other as to be unblendable. A British Government whose constituents are primarily Conservative has proved this to be a fallacy, even though the Conservatives were the first to hesitate about accepting federation when it was proposed at the first Round Table Conference. The federation idea derived its impetus from the decision of the Indian princes to affiliate their domains with British India under a constitution that would have all-India for its sphere. Prior to the first Round Table Conference, federation was viewed as an ideal to be attained; but the decision of the princes took the issue from the realm of idealism and brought it within the ambit of practical politics. It was only in the reflective environment of India that the princes began to think twice about what they had proposed and began to be doubtful if they would obtain the best of the bargain when their autocratic power came into conflict with the democratic ideas which the British have fostered in British India during 150 years of association with Indians. The last conference showed that although there still is hesitancy on the part of many princes to enter federation, it may safely be said that federation will ultimately be India's status.

When the final history of India's constitutional question is written, it will be recorded that the victory has gone to the realists. Chief among the realists is Sir Samuel Hoare, the Secretary of State for India. He has made it clear that the new Government of India can work only if the triple association of Great Britain, British India and the Indian Native States is maintained. By defining the scope and purpose of the various safeguards he has brought the entire constitutional issue into precise terms. He has transformed volumes of generalities into the skeleton of a parliamentary bill. In doing it he has satisfied Indians as to the sincerity of the British people toward Indian aspirations.

Felt From Faces

Russia has a new industry. It is making felt boots from hair. There is nothing extraordinary in this. Hair has been long used in the manufacture of felt. But Russia proposes to get the raw material largely from the faces of the boot wearers. Herein lies both thrift and economy. It has been learned that the whiskerfelt is of excellent quality, and the way is thus opened for development of a whisker crop on a scale never before attempted. Russian whiskers are a tradition. They are known all over the world. But the government edict officially impounding every harvested whisker throughout the land ultimately must result in the recognition of Russia as the leading whisker-producing nation of the world. The demands of the growing felt industry—or should one say the felt-growing industry?—must be met and if bumper crops are not forthcoming prizes may be offered for the best acreage in each community. In gathering the whisker crop the Government makes no distinction as to individual methods of production. A whisker is a whisker whether it sprouted in a set of burnsides or flourished in the jungle of a galway development. The patriarch brand undoubtedly yields the greatest number of bushels an acre, but it is felt that any nondescript crop has its value in adding to the output of the felt industry. Incidentally the barber shops, which are constituted a sort of whisker silo by the edict, may be spurred to greater achievement by promises of copies of "The Wind Blew Through His Whiskers" for the largest number of bales collected within a given period.

GOODBYE TO
HONGKONGFOR A
FEW HOURS

By E. G. B.

The virtues of the walk I am about to describe are four. Firstly the longest climb and the least interesting part comes at the beginning; secondly you will be able, at titill time, to spread yourself upon a bed of heather; thirdly the way home is easy to find and leads you down a gentle descent to the bus terminus, and lastly, you will feel as refreshed as if you had spent a week-end away in the country, since, after the first twenty minutes you turn your back on Hongkong and all things familiar, and catch no further glimpse of it until the evening.

It will take about the same time to get home as it did to get out, and the way lies back along the same path for about half a mile, and then along a slightly larger path that turns off to the right to the village of Tiu Tsao Ngant. Go through the village and up the valley beyond—the smaller valley to the left is Dingley Dell—and at the first fork of paths take the right hand once, which you can see running along for miles at the foot of Tate's Ridge, and disappearing as it curves to the left and makes for Grasscutters Pass.

Following it, you turn your back gradually and sadly on the Hunchbacks, Buffalo Hill, Tide Cove and finally Tai-Mo-Shan; arrived at Grasscutters Pass, take the road reluctantly down into the ordinary work-a-day world, with a bus and all other abominable emblems of sophistication lying in wait for you where you meet the main road at the bottom.

DAY OF POWER

By E. L. ALLEN.

A few years ago a certain minor War-Lord occupied a district in Kwangtung and made it his first business to reward his supporters. He sent for one and asked what he could do for him. There was no hesitation about the answer: "Make me District Magistrate for one day!" It was a fairly moderate request to make, surely. He only wanted power for one day, but he was confident that in that time he could wipe out old scores, reward his friends, and amass a fair fortune! After that—well, he was shrewd enough to know that the future was an uncertain proposition at the best, and to go while the going was good.

One wonders what most of us would make of it if we were given the equivalent of what this man asked for—power for twenty-four hours and no one to check us in the exercise of it. Some, no doubt, would honestly set out to use it for the benefit of their fellows; but probably many, with the best intentions in the world, would decide that a day was really not long enough to do anything in that was worth while, and would let the opportunity slip through their fingers. Some, on the other hand, would have the time of their lives; but again probably most would feel that one couldn't make a great deal out of a day, and it would be all over before they had found out how to enjoy themselves.

In short, we should most likely use our day of power very much as we use the seventy years that are given to us as our life. Some would make the best possible use of it, others would waste it in self-indulgence, but the majority of us would never get to the point of sitting down to think out what was the best we could make of it!



"All right, go ahead and make me mad, and I'll go right down and order a shampoo and a facial."

BULLS AND INNERS

The Week's Great Thought:
Pshaw!

Now that England has won the Ashes, Australia has to be content with the sackcloth.

"That's the ticket"—as we all hope to say next week.

If ZBW is hard up for running commentaries, why not try some of the Colony's shorts?

Talking of Canton's new bridge, what about another one to span the differences with Nanking?

A local solicitor is said to have obtained Bernard Shaw's signature by a ruse. The unfortunate part of the business is that it wasn't on a chit.

LIFE:—A.B.C. . . . I.O.U. . . . Neo . . . R.I.P.

"Pull for the Shaw, lads," seems to be the motto of a lot of these people who write to the Editor.

Edward Kelly says a poor listener is a man who insists on telling you the number of stations he gets on his wireless, when you want to tell him the result of your operation.

These slit skirts are another illustration of the predominance of the leg-theory.

Cements have figured prominently in share deals this week. But the market still fails to stick.

As was to be expected, this Brussels crisis is sprouting up again. We hasten to add, however, that Mr. Shaw did not visit Belgium on his world tour.

A new Peer, aged 86, has just taken his seat in the House of Lords. MacWhirter suggests that at that age he should take to his bed.

The H.K.V.D.C. is to have a Cricket Week. We suggest that it is definitely bad to encourage Volunteers to run.

Appropriately enough, the Government is going to take steps in the matter of these dancing academies.

There is no truth in the rumour that Robert MacWhirter is to deliver a lecture at the University on "Humour and Its Action on the Epiglottis".

"Henry Ford Under Fire," says heading in a contemporary. Back fire?

Another man is to go round the world in a junk. The Empress of Britain, on the other hand, is taking a lot of junk round the world. This should even things up.

To-day reminds us that local brokers seem to have entirely discarded their Durbys.

What's all this fuss about dancing academies? One can see a taxi-cab array any day outside the G.P.O.!

That's the worst of these Army abbreviations. We hear of a gallant officer who was annoyed to receive the message—"C.O. may G.T.H." It only meant "get the house!"

"Thirteen 'Women' indeed! Many a man has found one unlucky!"

"Women are now wearing the accented collar," states a Home fashion writer. Some we know, would be better cuffed!

We've noticed a lot of Testiness about the Australians lately.

Races to-day. Yes, in the spring a young man's fancy often chases home the field.

"Where do we stand to-day?" a reporter asked George Bernard Shaw. "In the buses," replied Edward Kelly.

"Forged \$100 bank-note." This explains why Edward Kelly has been looking so worried. He expects to have a \$100 bank-note in about five years.

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Making beautiful silk rugs, after designs copied from examples in the Palace Museum of the Forbidden City in Peking, which are to be sent to the Chicago Fair.



His Excellency the Governor snapped having tea at the Fanling Races on Sunday. (Photo: Pictorial Review).



Here are the teams which took part in the annual soccer match between the foreign and Chinese staffs of Lano Crawford, Ltd. The former won by three goals to nil. (Photo: Mee Cheung).



Mr. Donald Anderson, graduate of Hongkong University and well-known interport cricketer, who has left for England to continue his studies. (Photo: Ming Yuen).



Group taken at Mr. Chan Lim-pak's residence at a reception given to General Tsai Ting-kai, who is seated in middle row fourth from right. (Photo: Yim Fong).



A typical bookstall scene in a street at Peking during Chinese New Year.



No, these are not beads. They are strings of dried apples being sold by a street vendor in Peking.



Mr. Bernard Shaw at "Idlewild," Sir Robert Ho Tung's residence. Left to right: Mrs. Shaw, Major Ho Tung, Sir Robt. Ho Tung, Mrs. Simpson, Mr. Shaw, Professor Simpson and Lady Ho Tung. (Photo: A. Fong).



Miss Master on Country Club, winner of the Ladies' Race at Fanling. (Photo: Pictorial Review).



Mr. Jordan on Bay of Calamity, which won the Fox Hunters Light-weight Cup at Fanling. (Photo: Mee Cheung).

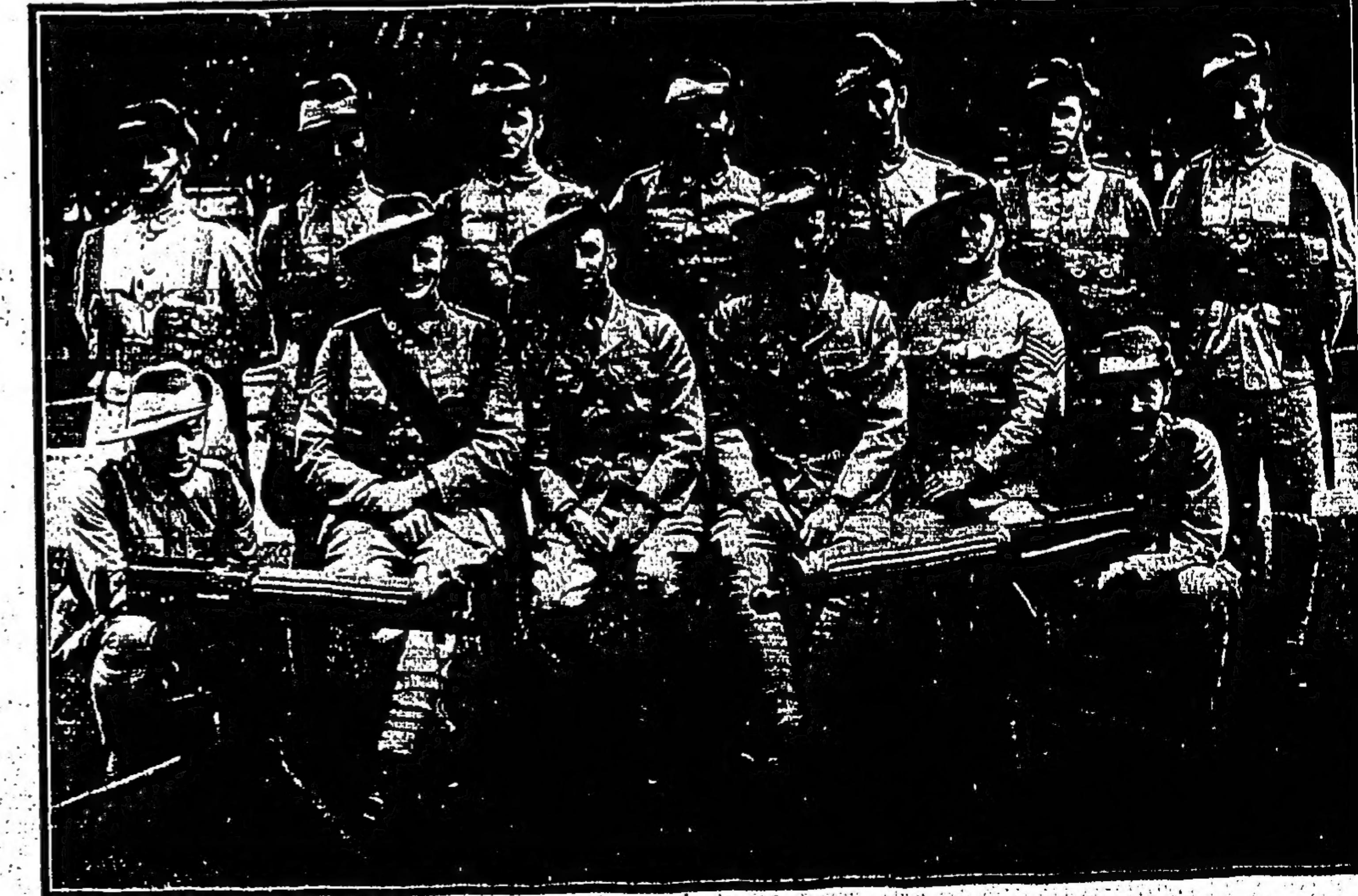


Photo shows the team from the Anzac Company of the Volunteer Defence Corps which won the Machine Gun Competition. (Photo: Ming Yuen).

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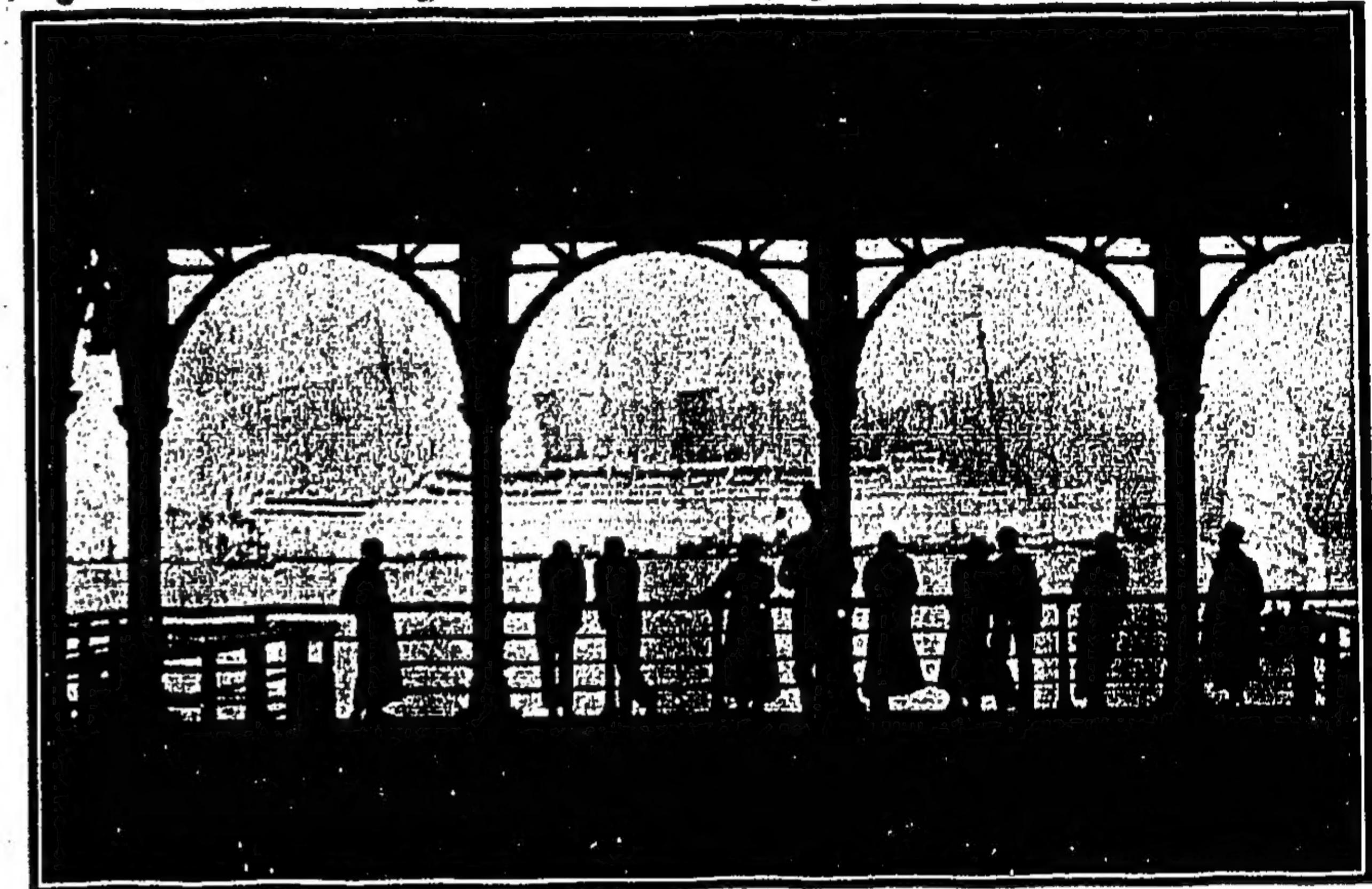
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Another picture of three young pupils of Mr. Charles, taking a ride in the New Territories.



"Smiles." A happy snapshot taken aboard the well-known yacht "U and I."



An effective picture showing the luxury liner Empress of Britain lying off Queen's Pier during her visit this week. (Photo: Mr. J. C. Graham).



Members of the Anzac Company of the Volunteer Defence Corps firing at the Peak range on Sunday.



George Bernard Shaw delivering his much-discussed speech at the Hongkong University. (Photos: Ming Yuen).



Loch Ryan, winner of the February Steeplechase at Fanling. Mr. Schreiber was the jockey. (Photo: Mee Cheung).



Three of Mr. Charles' young pupils are seen in this photograph with Mr. W. Pay, the well-known Chinese jockey.



A recent visitor to Hongkong was Mr. E. H. Lewis, the curator of the Catalina Island bird park, California. He is shown above with two of his pets. Mr. Lewis has presented several birds to the aviary at the local Botanic Gardens.

FRENCH DEPUTIES HOAXED**RALLY TO CAUSE OF NEWFOUNDLAND****"OPPRESSED STATE OF U.S.A."**

French parliamentarians are not renowned for their general knowledge, especially of the world outside France, but the ignorance revealed by a practical joke which has just been played on some deputies has surprised even the detractors of democracy.

A number of students, anxious to test the degree of culture in the Chamber, conceived the plan of addressing a bogus appeal to its members on behalf of Guatemala and Newfoundland, suffering under the heel, as they alleged, of American imperialism.

In a circular letter to sixty-eight Radical and Socialist deputies they set forth in moving terms the distressed condition of these "two States of the American Republic" and requested support for their cause.

The letter was headed "League for the Ethical Defence of the Newfoundlanders and Guatamalans: Sir Stanley Guererro-Geneva, 7, rue Jean Jacques-Rousseau."

After drawing attention to the fact that Newfoundland and Guatemala are deprived of the privileges enjoyed by the "other 42 States" (there are actually 48 States), the letter goes on to explain the reasons, political, linguistic, and ethical, for this repressive and unfair treatment.

"The State of Newfoundland," it says, "is inhabited by two million persons of Iberian origin, who, since Cortes conquered the country and broke the resistance of the Incas, have retained their Spanish tongue.

"For more than a century," it goes on, "we have been pressing our claims vainly without obtaining satisfaction. To cite only one example; we are the only States not represented in the Senate at Washington, while other States, such as New York, elect a dozen senators. At the moment when Yankee Imperialism is attempting to subjugate Europe we thought the moment favourable for interesting the Continent in our unhappy lot."

British M.P.'s Support

The letter then declares that over 200 German deputies and 300 English members of Parliament, including Mr. Lloyd George, have promised their support to the movement of liberation, while the League of Nations, it says, has the case under consideration. It concludes by requesting a word of encouragement for the cause.

Of the seventy odd deputies thus appealed to, nine hastened to reply promising their adhesion. Among the letters received, one signed by M. Romastin, successful candidate at the last election in the Sarthe department, which has been printed in full by the *Echo de Paris*, may be taken as an example.

"I am astounded," writes M. Romastin from the warmth of his Republican heart, "that a democratic country like America tolerates different treatment for the States making part of the Federation. Guatemala and Newfoundland have my fullest sympathy, and I cherish a sincere desire that their just claims may be listened to and that they may be treated on terms of equality with the other 42 States of the American Republic."

SUNDIAL CENSUS**51 ON CHURCHES IN WORCESTERSHIRE**

In order to preserve the mass-clocks, or primitive sundials, which are still to be found on a great number of Worcestershire churches, the Bishop of Worcester recently addressed a letter to all incumbents asking that a search be made for any mass-clocks and that particulars be reported.

The replies have now been summarised and added to under the direction of St. John Summer, to whom the plan was primarily due, and the Diocesan Advisory Committee now possess a practically complete inventory of every mass-clock in the diocese.

The inventory shows that mass-clocks are on 64 churches exclusively of the glazier's chancel at Netherton, or rather less than a quarter of the total number of churches in the diocese (over 200).

The Worcestershire dials, appear to date from Norman times to the Fourteenth or early Fifteenth Centuries, one alone dating probably from Saxon times—namely, the dial on a stone recessed inside Pirton Church, which shows pre-Norman markings, and was discovered some years ago buried under the nave floor.

ENGLAND'S "ELLIS ISLAND"**TO BE CONVERTED INTO AERODROME**

Atlantic Park hostel, between Southampton and Eastleigh, which has been described as England's "Ellis Island," has been bought by Southampton Corporation for use as a municipal aerodrome.

The park, lying alongside the main railway line from Waterloo to Southampton, has caught the eye of thousands of passengers travelling to and from Southampton.

The forty buildings, including several hangars, were built during the war and used for the assembly of American aeroplanes which arrived in parts from the United States.

When peace was declared the property fell into disuse until three of the shipping firms interested in the North Atlantic passenger trade, the Cunard, White Star, and Canadian Pacific companies, bought it at a cost said to approach £100,000, for the accommodation of transmigrant passengers.

During the years it was in use for this purpose over 100,000 persons were accommodated there.

ST. DAVID'S DAY**TO BE CELEBRATED IN HONGKONG**

St. David's Day, Wednesday, 1st March, will be observed in Hongkong by the Hongkong St. David's Society. A wreath will be laid on the Cenotaph at 11 a.m. by the President, supported by the Vice-President, and the loyal support of all members and Welsh friends would be appreciated.

In the evening at 7.45 p.m. a dinner will be held at Lano, Crawford's Restaurant, when Welsh songs will be rendered by 1st Batt S.W.B. and other soloists during dinner. A dance will follow.

Members and residents of Welsh nationality are invited to join in this celebration. Application for tickets and further information should be made as early as possible to Mrs. E. V. Hooper, Hon. Secretary and Treasurer, 116, Wongneung Road.

DOLLAR AGAIN RISES**LOCAL MARKET UNCERTAIN**

The Hongkong dollar advanced 1/8th this morning to 1.84d. The local market, however, is still uncertain, and banks are only doing business against cover.

In London, silver rose 1/8th. China bought and India sold.

DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

LET YOUR LIFE BE COUNTED BY THE MILESTONES OF ACHIEVEMENT AND NOT BY THE TIMEPIECE OF YEARS—Clara Barton.

It is notified that the name of the Shanghai Kwong Yick Land and Investment Company Limited, has been struck off the Register in Hongkong.

Three cases of small-pox, two cases of diphtheria, one case of typhoid and two cases of meningitis, were reported to the health authorities on Thursday.

His Excellency the Governor has, with the approval of the Secretary of State for the Colonies appointed Mr. R. M. Henderson to be Director of Public Works.

His Excellency the Governor has, under instructions from the Secretary of State for the Colonies, recognised Mr. Walworth Barbour, provisionally and pending the issue of His Majesty's Exequatur, as Vice-Consul for the United States of America in Hongkong.

A brief report was received from the Kai Kung District of a piracy in British waters between Lung Shuen Wan and Kau Sai at 3.20 p.m. yesterday by an unknown Hobo boat of about 16 piculs. Four men armed with three revolvers and four daggers are stated to have boarded the craft and to have decamped with \$10 in money and four bags of dried seaweed.

The health bulletin of Eastern ports for the week ended February 11, shows the following cases of infectious diseases and deaths thereof: Plague, Baghdad 1 case, Colombo 4 cases 2 deaths. Cholera, Calcutta 14 cases 8 deaths. Small-pox, Alexandria 801 cases 52 deaths. Baorah 2 cases, Beirut 6 cases, Basra 3 cases, Bombay 322 cases 164 deaths. Calcutta 323 cases 201 deaths. Karachi 8 cases 3 deaths. Madras 137 cases 24 deaths. Moulmein 1 case. Nagapattinam 1 case. Rangoon 1 case. Colombo 18 cases 6 deaths. Macao 2 cases 2 deaths. Canton 84 cases.

LONDON STOCK PRICES**GILT-EDGED ISSUES FIRM**

The following quotations on the London Stock Exchange have been received by Messrs. Swan, Cuberton and Frits in conjunction with Reuter. Gilt-edged issues were very firm yesterday. Otherwise the market was very quiet and irregular.

Feb. 16. Feb. 17.

Chancery Bonds

4½% Bonds 1808

(Eng. Ist.) ... £ 94 £ 95 ½

4½% Loan 1908 ... £ 60 £ 67

5½% Loan 1912 ... £ 37 £ 38

5% Recg. Loan 1913 (Ldn. Ist.) ... £ 69 £ 70

5% Bonds 1925-47 £ 90 £ 97

5% Shai-Nanking Ry. ... £ 35-40 £ 35-40

5% Tient-Pukow Ry. ... £ 15-25 £ 15-25

5% Tient-Pukow Ry. (Supt.) ... £ 15-25 £ 15-25

5% Shai-Hang-Rio ... £ 75-80 £ 75-80

5% Hukuang Ry. ... £ 5-10 £ 5-10

5% Long Tsing U. ... £ 18-24 £ 18-24

Hai Kui 1918 ... £ 12-16 £ 12-16

Foreign Bonds

German 7% International Loan 1924

Japan 5% Sterling Loan 1907

Japan 6% Sterling Loan 1924

Industries & Breweries

Associated Elec. Industries ... 17/9 17/9

Brit. Amer. Tob. 96/104 96/104

Chinese Eng. & Min ... 22/6 22/6

J. & P. Coats 49/6 49/6

Courtards 23/6 23/6

Distillers 63/6 54/

Dunlop Rubber 21/74 21/74

Eveready 30/- 30/-

General Electric (England) ... 42/- 42/-

Guinness 80/- 80/-

Imp. Chem. Industries ... 25/3 25/1 ¼

Imp. Tobacco 93/- 92/6

Pinchin Johnson 28/6 28/6

Turner & Newall 25/9 26/-

Unilever 29/- 28/9

Miscellaneous

Anglo-Dutch 10/8 10/3

Burma Corp. 10/4 10/1 ¼

Canadian Pacific Ry. ... £ 14 £ 13-7/8

Petrol Syndicate 1/0 1/0

Shai Elec. Constr. 60/- 60/-

Vickers 6/0 6/0

Oils

Anglo-Persian Oil ... 37/6 37/6

Burmah Oil ... 58/9 58/9

Mexican Eagle ... 7/14 7/14

Royal Dutch ... £ 17½ £ 17½

Shell Trans. & Trad. ... 45/- 45/-

Public Utilities

Tramway, \$21.50 n.

Peak Trams (old), \$16.20 n.

Star Ferries, \$9 n.

Yau Ma Tei Ferries (old), \$34 ½ n.

Yau Ma Tei Ferries (new), \$33 ¾ n.

China Light (old), \$11 ¼ n.

H.K. Electric 874 b.

Macao Electric \$24.30 n.

Sandakan Lights, \$12 n.

Telephones (old), \$30 n.

Telephones (new), \$27 n.

China Buses, \$10 n.

Singapore Traction, \$2 n.

Singapore Prof. 12/- n.

Industries

Malabon Sugars \$27 ½ n.

Cald. Macq. Ord., \$12.75 n.

Cald. Macq. Prof., \$16.10 n.

Canton Ices, \$6 n.

Cements (Com.), \$7 ¼ n.

Cements (old), \$6 n.

Cements (new), \$2 n.

H.K. Ropes, \$11.20 n.

Agriculturals, \$7 n.

Stores, etc.

Dairy Farms, \$29 b.

Watsons (old), \$12.75 n.

Watsons (new), \$11.40 n.

Der. A. Wings, \$1 n.

Sincere \$15.55 n.

Lane Crawfords, \$5.40 n.

Mackintosh, \$21 n.

Wm. Powells, \$8.85 n.

Wing On (H.K.), \$22.5 n.

Miscellaneous

Amusements, \$12 ½ n.

Entertainments, \$13.40 n.

S.C. Enterprises, \$38 ¼ n.

United Theatres, \$1.5 n.

Macau "Greyhounds", \$10 n.

Construction (old), \$5 s.

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**COMMISSION ON
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Recognising at least tacitly the general interest in the technocracy group, which is charting the effects of technological unemployment, and which has brought about its head much criticism against Columbia University, where the group is working, Dr. Nicholas M. Butler, President of Columbia University, has announced the appointment of a Commission of economists and publicists to "consider the whole question of the effect of recent technological advance, particularly as manifested in mass production, its effect on economic processes and social welfare."

The announcement does not mention the technocracy group, and the commission does not include any of its members, but it is regarded in some quarters as designed to answer the criticisms which some theories of the technocrats have brought upon the University.

Six-fold Programme.

Mr. Butler announces a sixfold programme for the Commission's inquiry, including:

(1) The part which the price system is playing in the direction of production.

(2) An analysis of the relationship between income, investment, and production within the present system.

(3) Examination of the feasibility of price control to maintain stability both of internal prices and international exchange.

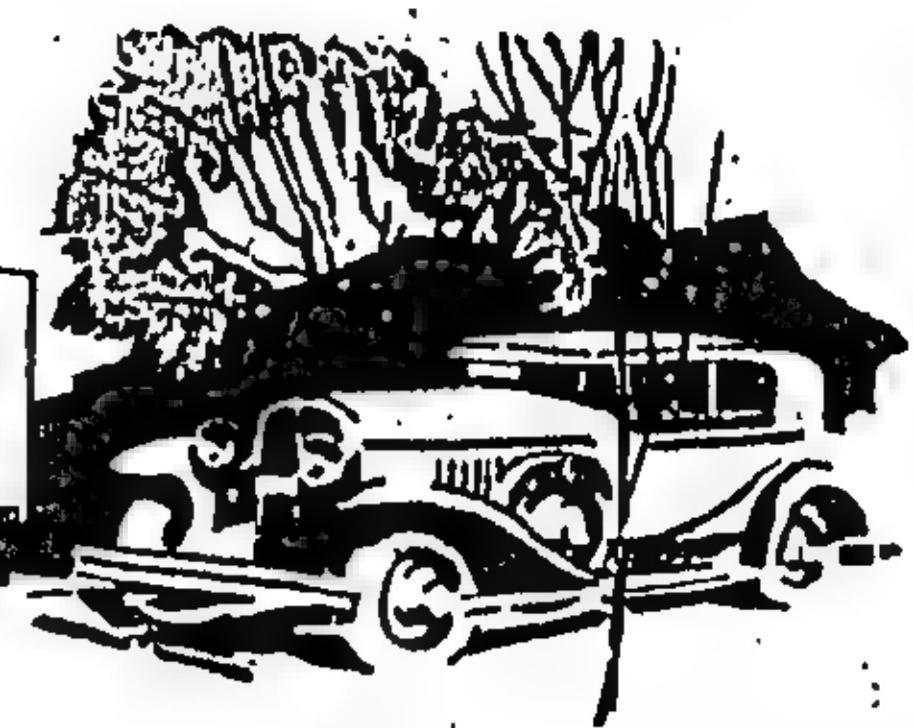
(4) Examination of the adequacy of the present monetary systems under modern industrial conditions.

(5) Examination of the economic consequences of the improvement of productive technique.

(6) Formulation of policies from a survey of the foregoing problems.

Headed by Mr. Robert H. McElver, Professor of Philosophy at Columbia University, the Commission includes ten other Professors, and such publicists and economists as Mr. Edmund Day, of Rockefeller Foundation; Mr. Walter Lippmann, journalist; Mr. Benjamin Anderson, of the Chase National Bank; and Mr. Georg Soule, of the "New Republic."

Mr. Butler says the inquiry will deal particularly with the difficulties arising from the fact that the technique of exchange have evolved semi-independently and are not now functioning harmoniously.



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Mr. Wallace Attwood, speaking at the annual dinner of the Wallace Attwood Marketing Association, gave the following qualifications as necessary for the successful salesman:
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The experience of the expert.
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Mr. Attwood stated that an English professor worked technocracy all out in 1926. "It was exported to America," he said, "and after acquiring a reputation over there we became interested in it again. I think that the present version should, therefore, be called 'Americanocracy.'"

SHORTHAND KNOWN TO THE ANCIENTS PRACTISED IN DAYS OF CICERO

Lord Metson, the new President of the Pitman Fellowship, speaking at a dinner in London in celebration of the 120th anniversary of the birth of Sir Isaac Pitman, said that shorthand was in no sense a modern invention. It was practised by the ancient Greeks. A friend of Cicero had a highly developed system, of which fragments survived and shorthand came into great request when the Christian martyrs were being tried for their lives in Rome. There was the orthographic band which Pepys, the diarist, practised. It was in the middle of last century that the modern phonetic system was developed.

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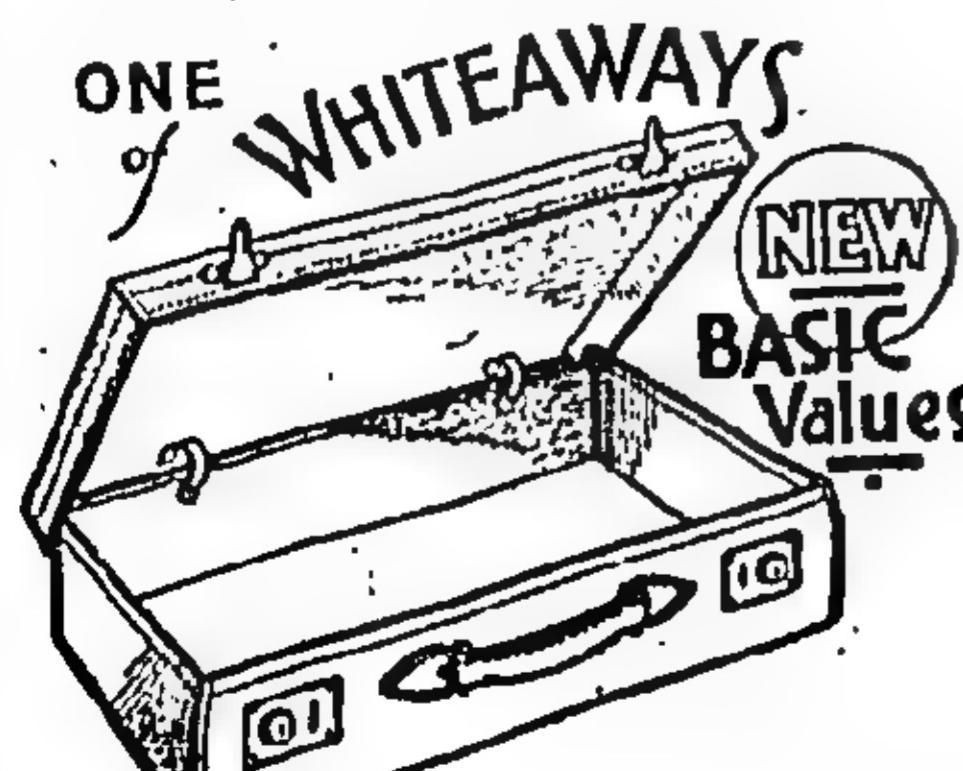
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RADIO BROADCAST

(Continued from Page 6.)

Maria Jeritza (Soprano). 1273.
Violin Solo—Serenade (Vieuxtemps).
Reno Chemet. 1242.
Chorus—Lohengrin—The Swan
Chorus (Wagner).
Chorus—Lohengrin—Procession to
the Cathedral (Wagner).
Chorus and Symphony Orchestra
conducted by Albert Coates. 917.
Organ Solo—Burke (Handel).
Organ Solo—Scherré (Gigout).
G. D. Cunningham. 21650.
Chorus—Froischutte—Jagorchor
(Hanns Heinz's Chorus) (Weber).
Chorus—Carmen—Chorus of Cigar-
ette Girls (Bizet).
Metropolitan Opera Chorus. 4173.
Odeon—Coronation March
(Mayerhofer).
Orchestra—War March of the Priests
(Mendelssohn).
Philharmonic Symphony Orchestra
of New York. 7104.
Song—Samson et Dalila—Arreterez, O
Me Frere (Saint-Saëns).
Song—Samson et Dalila—Is Your God
Not on High? (Saint-Saëns).
Giovanni Martinelli (Tenor). 8159.
9-9.30 p.m. From the Studio.
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Sonata in B Minor (Chopin).
1st Movement—Allegro maestoso.
2nd Movement—Scherzo.
3rd Movement—Largo.
4th Movement—Presto non tanto.
Fox Trot—Lonesome Me.

Fox Trot—My Love.
Russ Colombe and His Orch. 24077.
Waltz—Something We'll Meet Again.
Fox Trot—Two Only a Summer
Night's Dream.
Isham Jones and His Orch. 24128.
Waltz—Mardi Gras.

Fox Trot—Songone to Care For.
George Olsen and His Music. 24069.
Waltz—Songs for Sale.
Fox Trot—It Was Beautiful.
George Olsen and His Music. 24070.
Waltz—When the Sun Goes Down on a
Little Prairie Town.
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fine form and gave an impressive
rendering of selections from the
works of Wagner, Dvorak, Men-
delsohn, Cyril Scott and others.

The soloist, Prof. L. T. Ride,
baritone, was heard to great ad-
vantage.

During a hymn, the collection for
the Fund was taken. It was an-
nounced that the next recital will
be on Friday, March 17.

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Hongkong, 11th June, 1933.

London, Feb. 17.

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Bombay, Feb. 17.

Over nine hundred persons have
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We beg to announce that in
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The Steamship,
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Arrived Hongkong on Tuesday,
the 14th February, 1933.
From MARSEILLES &c.

Consignees of Cargo by the above named steamer are hereby informed that their goods with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables are being landed and placed at their risk in the Godowns of the Hongkong Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co. Ltd., Kowloon, whence delivery can be obtained at the goods are landed.

Goods not cleared within 7 days including date of arrival, will be subject to rent.

All claims must be sent to the underwriters before the Friday, the 24th February, 1933, or they will not be recognized.

Damaged Packages must be left in the Godowns for examination by the consignees, and the Company's Surveyor Messrs—Goddard and Douglas

19.00 a.m. on Monday, the 20th February, 1933. Consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when damaged dutiable goods are examined by the Company's Surveyors.

No claims will be admitted after the goods have left the Godown.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by us in any case whatever.

R. OHL,
Agent.
Hongkong, 14th February, 1933.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

The Steamship,
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All claims must be sent to the underwriters before the Monday, the 27th February, 1933, or they will not be recognized.

Damaged Packages must be left in the Godowns for examination by the consignees, and the Company's Surveyor Messrs—Goddard and Douglas at 10.00 a.m. on Thursday, the 23rd February, 1933. Consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when any damaged dutiable goods are examined by the Company's Surveyors.

The goods have left the Godown.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by us in any case whatever.

Hongkong, 15th December, 1932.

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R. OHL,
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A. Gocke & Co., yesterday's official

quotation in Basle, including

dividends accrued, is £2.13. 9d.

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In connexion with the estate of Kwan Kui-kai alias Kwan Cheuk-chuen alias Kwan Wo-sang alias Kwan Wu-Sang-tong, a retired merchant, late of 11, Hing Hon Road, and who died on August 16, 1932, leaving estate sworn under \$1,100, letters of administration have been granted to his widow, Kwan Li-shi, and Kwan Wong-shi and Kwan Leung-shi, his two concubines.

Application for re-sealing of the exemplification of probate of the will of Look Yan-kil alias Luk Tsin-nam alias Sen Yip-tong, who died at his residence, 29, Upper Pickering Street, Singapore, on July 11, 1932, leaving estate valued at \$38,000, has been granted to Mr. D. L. Stretton, on behalf of Lew Seng-noon, Look Chun-hong, all of Singapore.

Look Lam (or Loong Lum) alias Lung Foo-lam alias Lam Lung (or Loong), a Chief-Chinese Revenue Officer, late of 22, Tung Street, left estate valued at \$17,000. Letters of administration to the estate have been granted to deceased's younger brother, Lung Wing, deceased's mother, widow and concubine having renounced letters of administration.

Letters of administration with the will annexed to the \$11,000 estate of Kwan Ku alias Kwan Kul-kien alias Kwan Fat-ho, late of 71, Bonham Strand, have been granted to his son, Kwan Kong-nam.

Mr. Hilda Marion Lintott, late of Barham Glebe, Clayton, Ipswich, in the county of Suffolk, and formerly of Colombo, Ceylon, who died at the Burlington Nursing Home, Ipswich, on April 23, 1932, left estate valued at \$2,700. Application for the re-sealing of a sealed copy of the probate of the will and codicil has been granted to Mr. G. G. N. Tinson for deceased's husband, Lieut. A. J. C. Lintott, of Barham Glebe, Ipswich.

SHAW IN SHANGHAI

AIMS HIS SHAFTS AT IRELAND

Shanghai, Feb. 17. Leaving for Woosung early this morning, Madame Sun Yat-sen breakfasted with Bernard Shaw on the Empress of Britain. Mr. Shaw landed early this afternoon and motored to Mr. Sun Fo's residence where he chatted with Madame Sun Yat-sen.

Newspaper correspondents scoured the town for him and eventually tracked and besieged him there.

Interviewed by Reuters this afternoon, Mr. Shaw indulged in his usual provocative and unexpected remarks. Aligning himself with Jesus, John of Are and Socrates, Mr. Shaw declared that if the people of the world knew what he was driving at they would summarily exterminate him. He had no set views on anything except Socialism.

Mr. Shaw wanted to know "what that fellow de Valera is?" He had heard he was a Filipino who had got tired of the tropics so he started something hot in the Emerald Isle. de Valera had no improved conditions in Ireland but perhaps this was due to the age-old Irish custom of electing 60 men to govern the country and then appointing 60 more to prevent them Governing.

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ing Post Special.

"Six Hours To Live"

Shanghai, Feb. 17. "Six Hours To Live" which gives Warner Baxter the most dramatic role of his career on the screen, will be the film feature on the King's Theatre's programme starting tomorrow. Sharing top-line honours with Baxter are John Boles and Miriam Jordan, the latter a beautiful young English actress, who makes her screen debut in this Fox Film.

George Marion, Irene Ward and Beryl Mercer are also in the cast. "Six Hours To Live" was adapted by Bradley King from the original story, "Auf Wiedersehen," by Gordon Morris and Morton Bartaeus.

Briefly, it deals with a dramatic episode on international history, in which Baxter, as the representative of a small republic, successfully prevents the efforts of plotters to ruin his country and plunge the world into another disastrous war. The plotters succeed in accomplishing Baxter's death and are prepared to go through with their nefarious scheme, when he reappears, the hand of death miraculously stayed for him by the discovery of an eccentric scientist, enacted by Marion. Miss Jordan, in her debut, displays unusual promise and she already has been hailed as a real "discovery." She has played for several years in a high school girl dancing with "Uncion and Maco" in Los Angeles. William Dietrich, famous German-American director, produced his picture.

"Laugh and Get Rich".

Said to be the most accurate and representative picture of New York life yet shown on the speaking screen, "Hat Check Girl" is attacking with a little more experience before entering into stardom less than two years after her entry into films from New York musical comedy.

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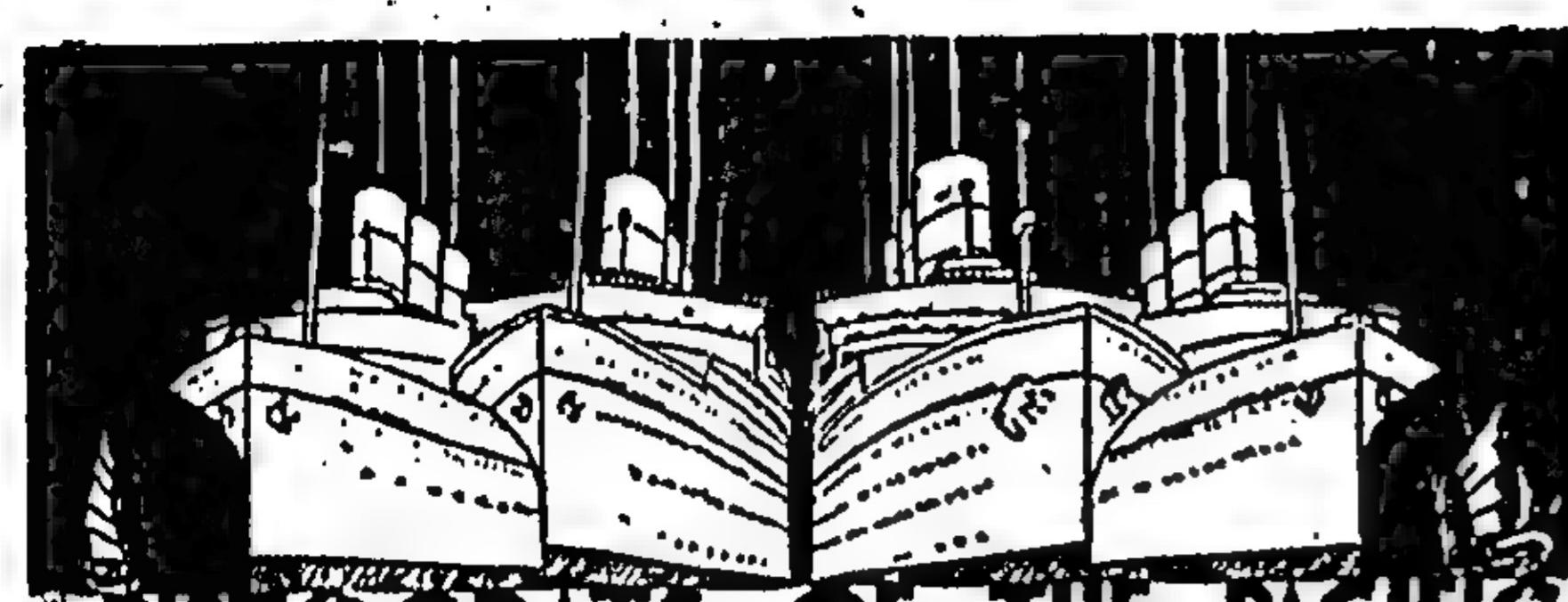
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CONTRACT BRIDGE

By W. E. McKenney

How many different types of bids are there in the one over one system? No more than in the system of common sense.

The difference between the one over one and most systems is that, in other systems, one may blindly plunge after an unknown value, while the one over one system proceeds carefully and cautiously until the proper goal is found.

As explained in my previous article, the first bid to learn is the sign-off bid. Learn when to sign off, when to recognize a sign-off bid, and be sure to use it whenever in doubt.

The most important bid in the system is the constructive bid. As stated, this bid invites, but does not demand, a response from partner.

An opening bid is termed a constructive bid. It is not necessary for partner to make a jump shift force to continue the bidding. He realizes when the original bidder opens the bidding that he is endeavouring to locate the best spot at which to play the hand.

Therefore, if you hold any promising cards, make a constructive bid. Now partner, if he has not already shown the full strength of his hand, will make another constructive bid. When a side has made three constructive bids, game is probable. When a side makes four constructive bids, game is practically certain.

You may ask, "How shall I recognize constructive bids?" Any bid that is not a sign-off bid is a constructive bid.

For example, the opening bidder bids one heart. This is a constructive bid. Partner bids one no trump—a sign-off bid.

Now, supposing the original bidder bids two diamonds. This would be a constructive bid asking partner to make a choice of your two suits and also informing him that, even though he has signed off, you have a very good hand and are willing to make a further try on the hand.

If partner were now to respond with two hearts, this would not be a constructive bid—he would be rebidding a suit already named by you and would simply be taking a choice of your two suits. As a matter of fact, he has made a double sign-off bid and you should not proceed further with the hand.

Supposing that you had opened with one heart and partner had bid two clubs. While this is a takeout in another suit and it may be made with a hand none too strong, however, it is constructive in nature. Partner at least has offered something new.

Now, if you bid two diamonds, you are making a third constructive bid, which is a try for game, and should not be passed by partner unless his first constructive bid is extremely weak.

As a matter of fact, the writer prefers that when a second suit is shown after partner has made a constructive bid, that the second suit shown should be treated as a forcing bid—not a game demand force, and one that should be termed a temporary force.

The temporary forces are as follows:

The showing of a second suit.
The one over one force, and

The informative double.
Note: The one over one forcing bid plays only a part in the complete one over one system of contract bidding.

JAPAN REJECTS PROPOSALS

TOKYO CABINET MEETS

Tokyo, Feb. 17.

All newspapers report that a special Cabinet Council will be held to-day to consider the League's recommendations, but according to the *Yomiuri*, the Cabinet will hold a two-day conference, at which, to-day, it will decide the question whether Japan should withdraw from the League, while to-morrow it will decide the question of Jeho.

No claim will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godown, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 20th February, 1933, will be subject to rent.

All claims against the steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 6th March, 1933, or they will not be recognized.

To comply with the General Bonded Warehouse Regulations consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when damaged dutiable goods are examined.

All broken, chipped, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godown, where they will be examined on the 18th February, 1933, at 10 a.m., by Messrs. Goddard and Douglas.

No P.I.C. Insurance has been effected.

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Tokyo, Feb. 17.

The Cabinet is understood to have decided to reject the League's recommendations and maintain recognition of Manchukuo and direct negotiation with China.

If the Assembly passes the recommendations Japan will make a counterstatement and vote against the report, and if the Assembly passes the report, the Japanese delegate will withdraw to London or Paris and await developments.

In Manchuria.

Harbin, Feb. 16.

The Volunteers have occupied

Mishan and Hulin, following the withdrawal of the Japanese

troops from those places.

Four hundred well-armed Volunteers stoutly withheld for 35 hours the seige by Japanese forces of Tsachenfang, but finally the Volunteers withdrew to the East and to the West. The Japanese admit that five were killed and five wounded. —Reuter.

OBITUARY

VETERAN JOURNALIST PASSES

London, Feb. 17.

The death occurred here to-day of Sir Robert Donald, veteran newspaper proprietor, journalist and publisher.

Sir Robert, who was born in Banffshire, Scotland, in 1861, entered journalism at an early age and had experience in Edinburgh, Northampton, Paris, New York and London. He became Editor of the London *Daily Chronicle* in 1902 and held that position until 1918 and was Managing Director of United Newspapers Limited. He retained an interest in several London newspapers and had been Chairman and Managing Director of Everyman Publishing Company Ltd. for several years. He founded the Municipal Journal in 1892 and Municipal Year Book.

When the British Empire Exhibition was held in 1924, Sir Robert was appointed Chairman of the Publicity Committee. He was responsible for the inquiry which led to the reorganisation of the exhibition.

Sir Robert's public services extended to several Committees mainly on wireless and transport. He was knighted in 1924.—Reuter and *I.B.S.*

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TOBACCO PREFERENCE

(Continued from Page 1.)
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II. If of Empire manufacture only \$0.90.

III. Other Cigarettes \$0.99.

(3) Other manufactured tobacco, including snuff and cigar cuttings:

A sum of \$10 and four bags of seaweed were stolen by the pirates who later decamped.

JUNK PIRATED

SMALL HAUL BY RAIDERS

A piracy on a junk in British waters, between Lung Sha Wan and Kau Sai, in the Kung District, was committed yesterday afternoon by four men who were armed with three revolvers and four daggers.

A shop boy of the Shaukiwan district who was on board the junk reported the incident to the Kai Kung police last night. He stated that together with another boy and two women, he had gone to Lung Sha Wan from Kai Kung at 7 a.m. yesterday and there bought 480 catties of dried seaweed.

The junk then went to Kau Sai and when halfway between the two places he saw a small Hoklo boat approaching, with four men on board. The craft drew alongside and the four men boarded the junk, the occupants of which were threatened by the pirates.

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LEAGUE PUBLISHES REPORT

(Continued from Page 1.)
the same article. The Report is a lengthy document of some 15,000 words.

The Assembly recommends the evacuation of Japanese troops with the Negotiating Committee charged, as its first object, to organise the evacuation and determine the stages and the time limits thereof.

NEW REGIME.

It is further recommended that there should be established in Manchuria, within a reasonable time, an organisation under the sovereignty of and compatible with the administrative integrity of China, which would provide a wide measure of autonomy in harmony with local conditions and respect the rights and interests of Japan and any third party.

As has already been reported, the recommendations provide for the Negotiating Committee to be set up after China and Japan have accepted the recommendations, the United States and Russia being invited to participate.

The League Assembly will meet on Tuesday to take note of the failure of conciliation, and on Friday, it will be asked to accept the report and recommendations which it will undoubtedly do.—Reuter and British Wireless.

The name of Mr. Lawrence Long, of Messrs. A. S. Watson and Co. Ltd., has been added to the register of chemists and druggists.

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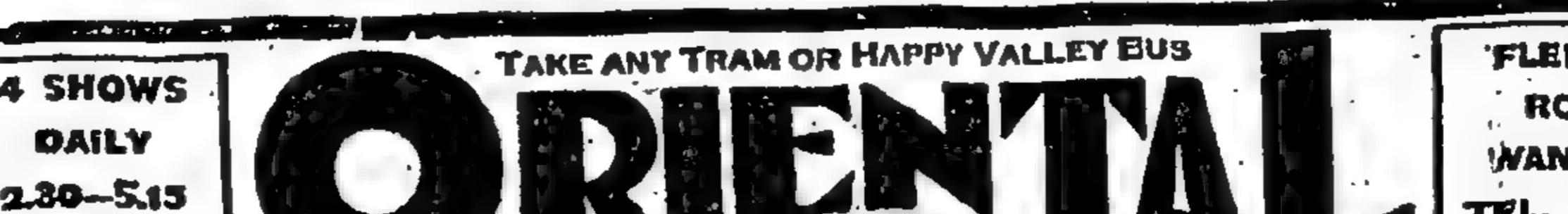
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SENSATION ON FIRST
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HEARD'S SMART
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DEAD HEAT IN FOURTH
EVENT

A big sensation was created on the opening day of the Hongkong Races when Coo Coo Bay, the Derby favourite, was decisively beaten in the Maiden Stakes by Cosack's Beauty, which romped home to win by many lengths.

Coo Coo Bay, ridden by Mr. Hill, went out a firm favourite, no fewer than 1,484 winning parimutuel tickets being taken out on him, but Mr. Heard, on Cosack's Beauty, had no difficulty in winning a finely-ridden race. The Derby favourite's defeat was witnessed by a large crowd.

Coo Coo Bay's ability to win the Derby is now very much open to question, and attention is likely to be turned in the direction of Trentbridge, second favourite for the classic event.

The weather was rather dull and somewhat cold when the meeting opened, and the attendance was mediocre until after the first adjournment, this being reflected in the sweepstakes and parimutuel returns. His Excellency the Governor arrived shortly after 1 p.m.

The course proved very fast, and some keen struggles were witnessed (Continued on Page 13).



Picture shows the ruins of Chinese barracks at Nanking, after a bombardment. There was a further brush between the Japanese and Chinese in this locality yesterday.

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MR. SHAND FOUND
DEAD

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This step is precautionary and will enable adjustments to be made, including reinstatement of risk at a special rate.—Reuter.

The death occurred under tragic circumstances this morning of Mr. J. T. Shand, assistant apothecary in the Medical Department, who was found lying dead at his desk in the dispensary of the Government Civil Hospital.

It was shortly before nine o'clock that a hospital attendant had occasion to go into the dispensary, and on entering the room he saw Mr. Shand lying across the desk at which he usually worked. An examination showed that Mr. Shand was dead. The police were later called in, and as the result of investigations they state the circumstances of the death indicate the probability of suicide by poisoning.

The late Mr. Shand joined the Government service in 1924, prior to which he was for several years employed by The Pharmacy. He was 39 years of age.

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TO-DAY'S RECIPES.

Suggestions for Tea.

Sandwiches cut in fancy shapes with a pastry cutter. The fillings, which should not be put in so avishly that they spread all over fingers and faces, might be of apricot jam, home-made potted meat, minced figs, dates, and chopped nuts.

Jellies in individual glasses; raspberry flavour is a favourite, and adds a touch of colour to the table.

Tripe, made with pineapple juice instead of sherry; different kinds of jelly whisked up and decorated with glace cherries; junket, if the small children are in the majority; a chocolate log cake; little orange-flavoured buns with water icing flavoured with orange; home-made cream buns; little Swiss rolls, and sponge buns with plain icing.

Dainty sweet biscuits—obtainable in great variety this year. Plates of these are a decorative addition to the table, and so are bon-bon dishes filled with sweets.

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Envelopes are sometimes disappointing, and refuse to remain securely fastened. Where this is the case, seal it with white of egg; treated in this way, it cannot be steamed open.

cellent French tango dancer. Repeat the Chassez four times to the left, turn and go left again, if you are the man, keeping the woman about six inches in front of you so that your cross-steps won't interfere. She continues to the right, after the turn, repeating this Chassez.

Your music will tell you when these Chassez steps start, when to turn and start the series of four again. But girls must practise alone quite as much as men, for unless each partner knows the steps by heart, it is impossible for the best tango dancer in the world to manage.

Practice, before a mirror, arms high, until you could tango in your sleep.



Practice to the tune of "Paris."

By Arthur Murray
New York.—The dance craze of the season is the tango. There are two tangos, the Argentine tango and the French tango. Today we will learn the French tango. It really is a modified form of the native tango, a much more sophisticated dance than the Argentine, the tango that the majority of adults dance.

The Chassez gives the rocking steps, which distinguish the French tango. It combines slow and quick steps, rocking on the slow ones.

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Hold your partner about six inches away from you for the French tango. All steps are taken in closed position in the French tango. Take your steps sideways. The man has his back to the centre of the room and goes left. The woman faces the centre of the room and goes sideways to the right. This is how the man does the Chassez, the woman reverses feet, using her right where he uses the left.

1. Take a long slow step with left foot to left side, as shown in the diagram.

2. Cross right foot in front of left; weight on right foot "and" step with left foot to left side.

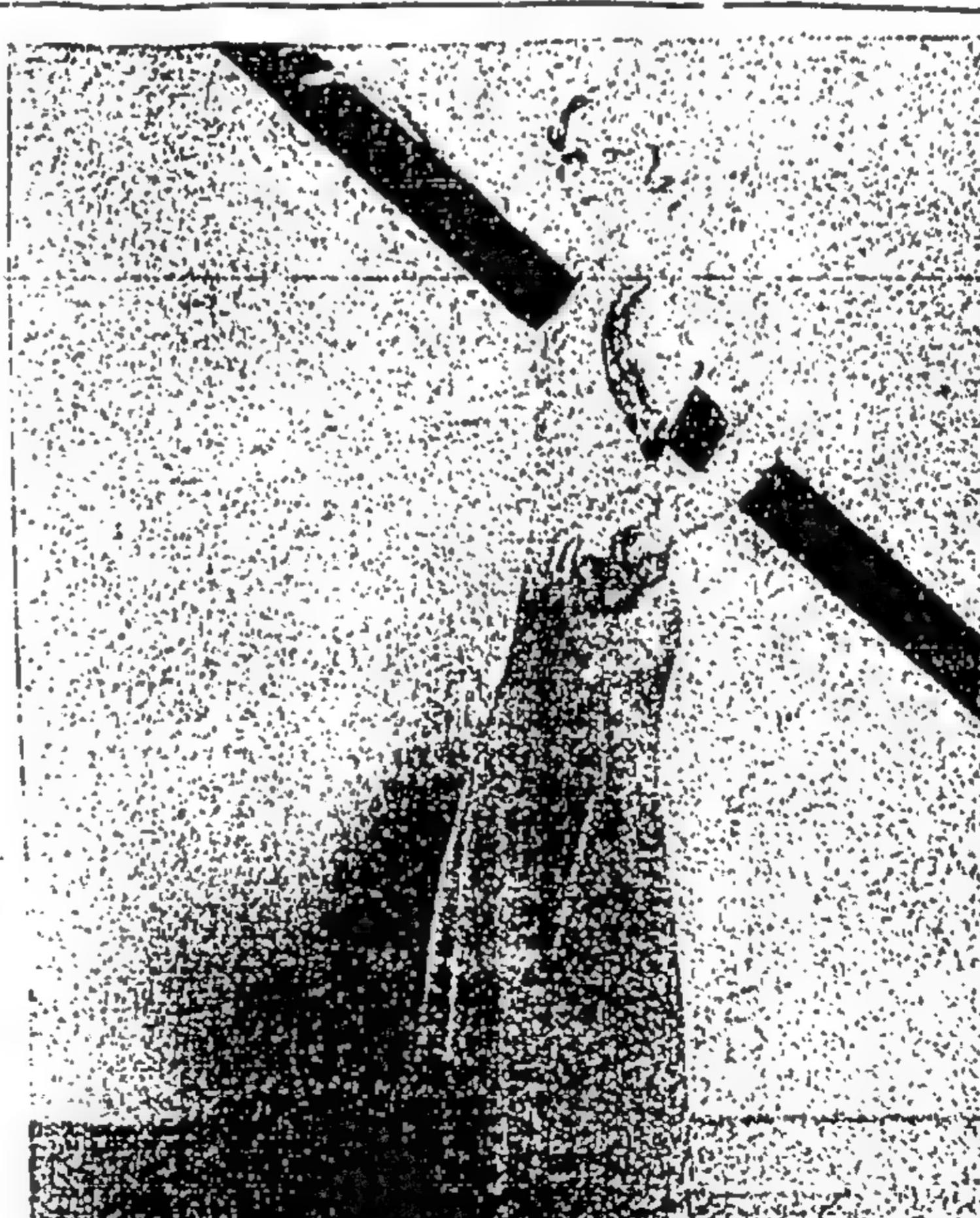
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4. Repeat this movement three

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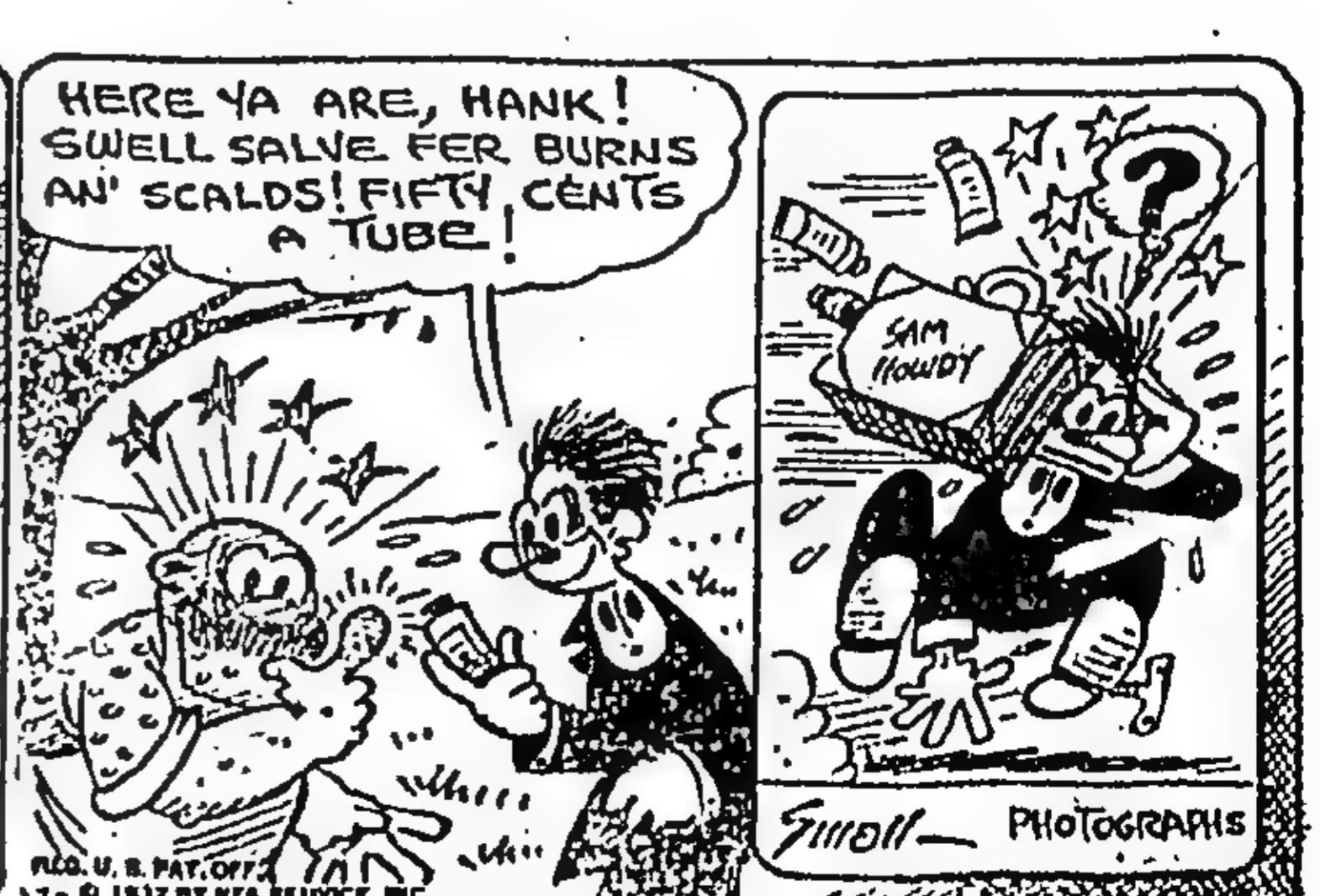
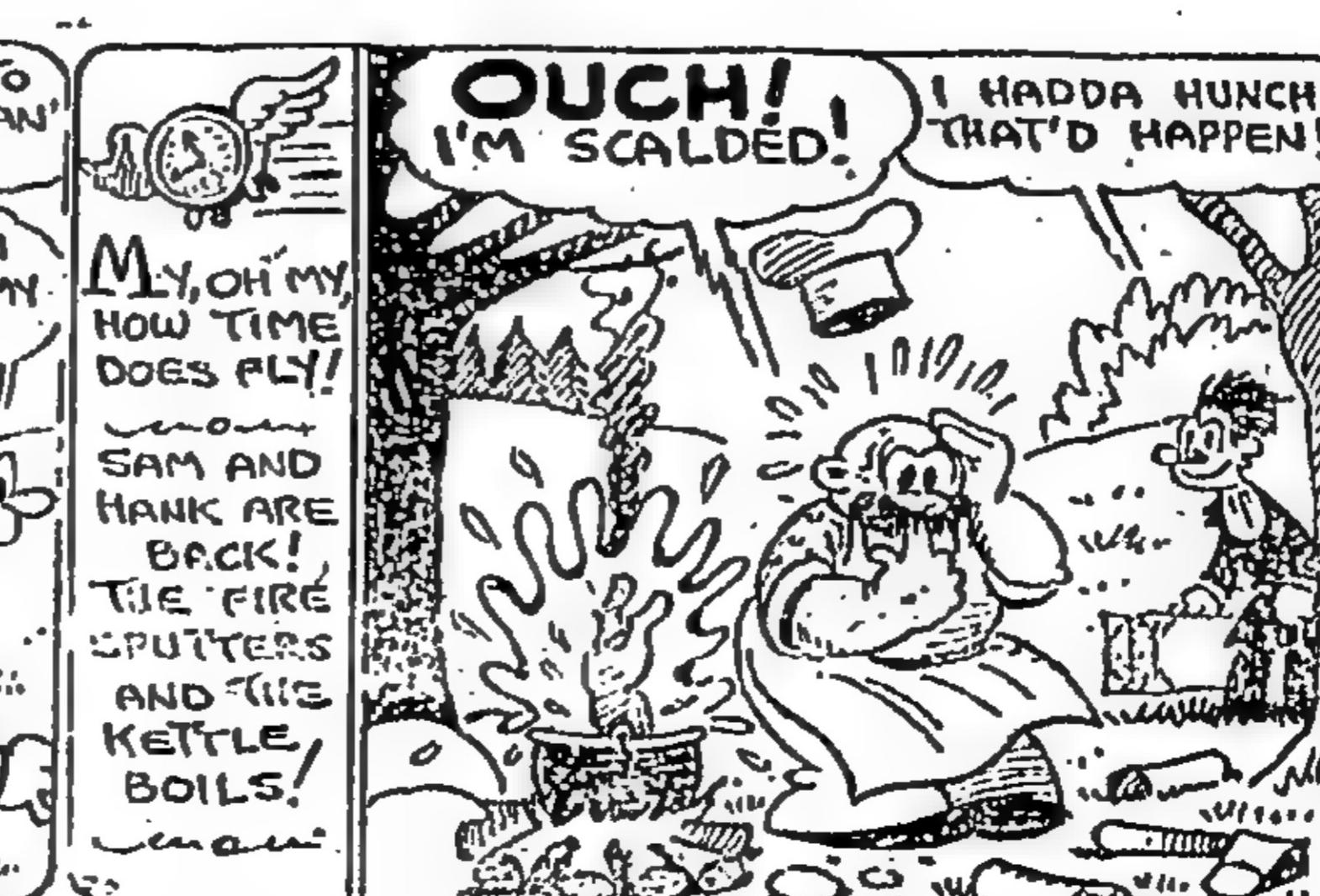
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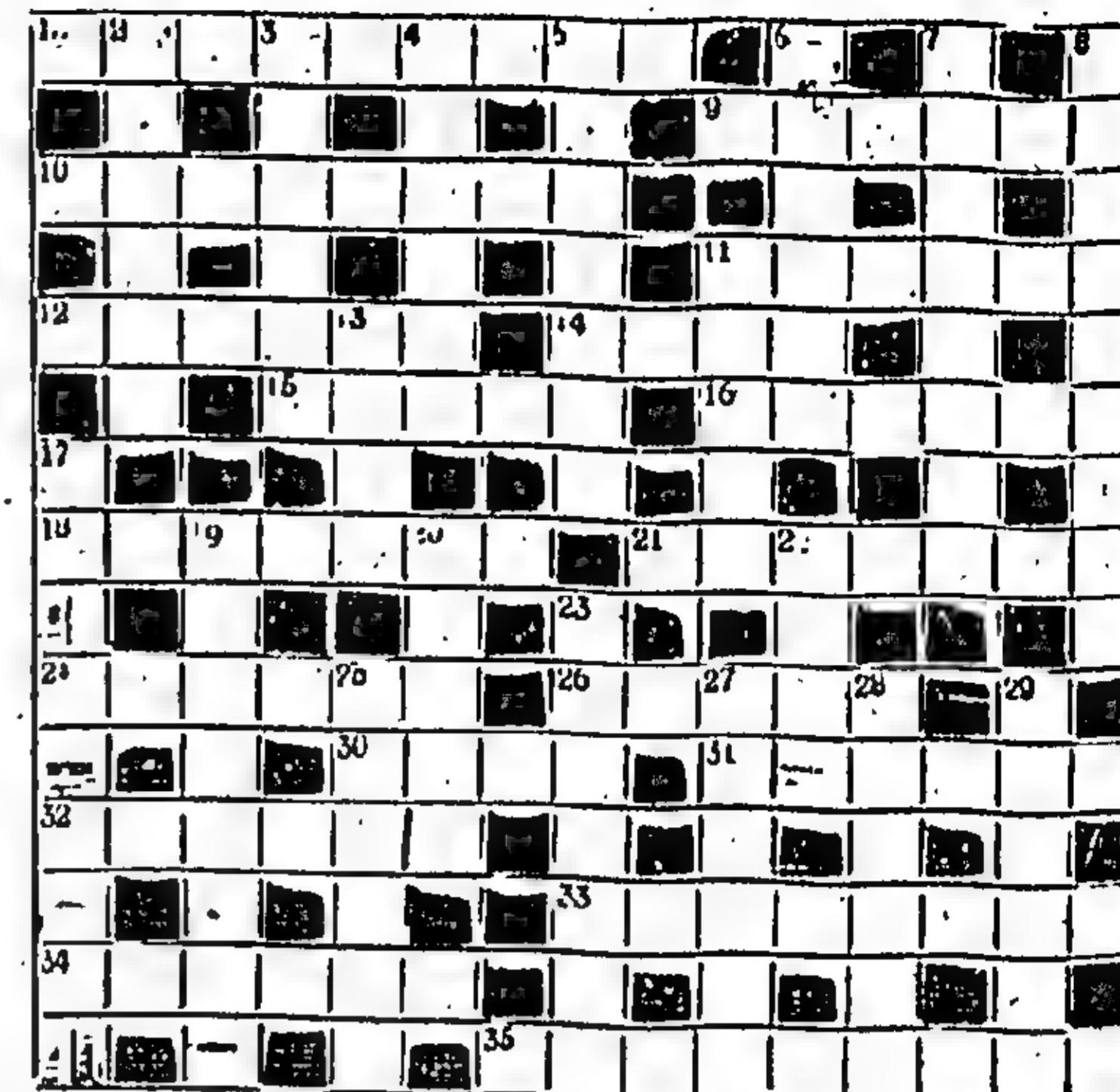
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- The crooked one becomes distinctly peevish.
- Beta about the R.E., and forms shields for heads.
- In the twinkling of an eye, in other words.
- Flower.
- The crab is on the table, as Edith put it there for fun. It exasperates Edgar so nicely (hidden).
- Town in Gloucestershire.
- Sh! Speak softly here, please.
- A mountain that sounds as though it had been—as indeed it has.
- What the dutiful diarist does daily.
- Hidden in Clue 15.
- A classic mount.
- May suggest economy but cannot always enforce it.
- Considered dear by writers at one time.
- Biblical house.
- This may give relief.
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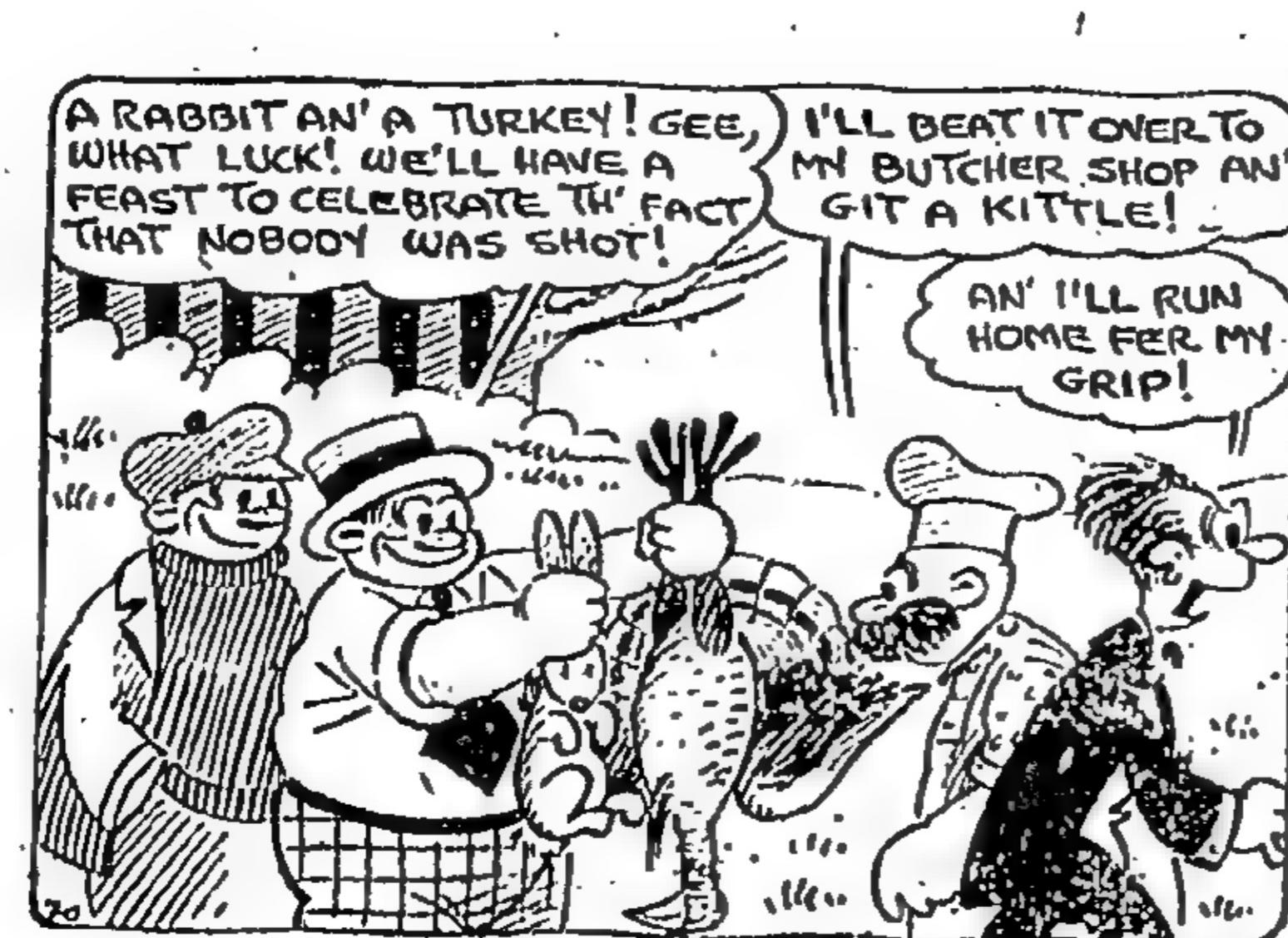
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BEGIN HERE TO-DAY

SHIELA SHAYNE, 18, whose parents were well known vaudeville actors, is in New York looking for work. Sheila is a dancer. She has spent almost her entire life on the stage, traveling with her parents, now dead, and later in vaudeville and musical shows. Sheila is now at MA LOWELL's theatrical booking house.

Sheila is a down-and-outer, Joe never scattered undue praise.

"The kindest thing," he would repeat firmly and frequently, "the kindest thing you can do for some of them is to send them back to the five-and-dime stores. But if they are good, tell them so!"

Bill glowed at the tribute. "Mr. Lane, here," he said, indicating to the gentleman, "is looking for talent."

Sheila's eyes widened expectantly.

"For a party he's giving this evening."

The girl's face fell. "We thought perhaps you'd dance for him," Joe Paris added. "Just a number or two. I know you're booked with Roscoe Moody in Gleason's place."

Sheila showed her surprise. So Joe Paris knew that! That he had known her father did not seem so unusual as did this exciting bit of news.

"We are playing Jackson Heights," Sheila murmured in confusion. "I've been resting lately. I'm—well, pretty stiff."

Joe grinned broadly. If he thought some muscles a joke, Sheila decided, it must be because he had never experienced them. Or had he?

"Mm," Joe said, while Bill stood by attentively and the others remained silent. "Jackson Heights. That's Bailey's theatre? Well—you could make it in a taxi. After the show: Just a number or so. Is that right, Lane? Or a song?"

Bill leaned forward confidently, though his lowered voice reached and was meant to reach every corner in the room. "Shayne puts over a song number in great style."

Dick Stanley's pleading eyes met the girl's for an instant as she wavered.

"I would like to accommodate you," she began, then added hastily, "but I haven't been dancing. I'll be awfully tired I'm afraid."

"You seem in excellent practice," Trevor Lane began politely.

"It's not that!" Sheila flushed.

"I may be too stiff by that time to dance well. Maybe you've ridden horseback—and know how difficult it is!" She laughed rufously. "Perhaps some other time!"

Her heart was pounding, saying loudly, "You little fool! Why are you refusing? Mr. Stanley will be there! You'll see him. Maybe he will take you home. Tell him you'll be glad to fill in."

"We pay 50—" Sheila flushed.

"Seventy-five!" announced Dick.

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briskly, slyly nudging Trevor. "And," grinning boyishly, "we guarantee you an awfully good time. For you'll stay for the party of course!"

This, she knew, was irregular. Unbusinesslike. They got things from you they didn't pay for—extra songs, maybe dances, even a lesson or so. The men gathered around, considering a chorus girl fair prey. The girls snubbed you if you were good-looking, or if you were clever they said nasty things.

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"I'm sorry. I'd love to some other time. It's awfully nice of you to ask me."

"Some other time, then," Trevor Lane said simply. He did not appear even vaguely disturbed. Dick Stanley looked crest-fallen. Joe Paris regarded her doubtfully and Bill glared.

"Can't I persuade you?" Dick asked in a low tone as the others moved away.

"No, really I can't do it. Not to-night."

"Suppose I leave the telephone number with the girl? Will you use it if you change your mind?"

She shook her head. "No. Well, maybe. Yes, leave it. But don't be disappointed—"

"Please change your mind. I'll expect to hear from you."

Why hadn't he asked for her telephone number, Sheila wondered as he disappeared in the direction of the others. Didn't he know she had burned her bridges? That she couldn't telephone him now? He thought he could find her in the telephone book, perhaps. As if she could afford her own apartment in these days!

Sheila sighed. An opportunity had vanished. But work remained.

Doggedly she went into the routine, her clicking heels beating out the rhythm as faithful Timmy played.

(To be continued.)

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The public is invited to take advantage of the facilities for free vaccination which are available at all Government Hospitals, Chinese Hospitals and Public Dispensaries as well as at the Government Vaccination Centre adjoining the Harbour Office.

J. H. GELLING,
Secretary, Sanitary Board.
Hongkong, 16th February, 1933.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

Notice is hereby given that the Ordinary Yearly Meeting of the Shareholders in this Corporation will be held at the Head Office of the Corporation, No. 1, Queen's Road Central, Hongkong, on Saturday, the 25th February, 1933, at 11.30 a.m. for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Board of Directors together with a Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1932.

The Register of Shares of the Corporation will be closed from Monday, the 13th February, to Saturday, the 25th February, 1933, (both days inclusive), during which period no transfer of shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

V. M. GRAYBURN,
Chief Manager.
Hongkong, 6th February, 1933.

HONG KONG TELEPHONE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the EIGHTH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of the HONG KONG TELEPHONE COMPANY, LIMITED, will be held on Wednesday, the 22nd day of March, 1933, at the BOARD ROOM of the Company, Second Floor, Exchange Building, Hong Kong, at 11.30 a.m., for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the Board of Directors, for the financial year ended 31st December, 1932, and re-electing two Directors and the Auditors.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 16th March to the 22nd March, 1933, both days inclusive.

Dated this 13th day of February, 1933.

By Order of the Board,

W. L. MCKENZIE,
Secretary.
14, Des Voeux Road, Central.
Hong Kong.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the Third Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Registered Offices of the Company, King's Theatre Building, 6th floor, on Monday, the 27th day of February, 1933, at 12 o'clock noon to receive the Directors' Report, and Accounts for the year ended 31st December, 1932, to elect Auditors, and to transact such other business as may be properly transacted at an ordinary General Meeting of the Company.

And Notice is further hereby given that the Register and Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 22nd to the 28th day of February, 1933, both days inclusive.

LIANG CHI HAO,
Managing Director.
Hongkong, 14th February, 1933.

CHURCH NOTICES

Sexagesima Sunday

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH.

The following are the forthcoming services, etc., at St. Andrew's Church:

Sunday, February 19.

Sexagesima Sunday.

10 a.m. Holy Communion.

11 a.m. Young People's Service and Primary Sunday School.

1 p.m. Confirmation Class. Sunday School.

6 p.m. Evening Prayer and Sermon. Preacher, Rev. P. M. Dodwell, B.D., R.N.

Oxford Group Movement.

A meeting of those interested in the Oxford Group Movement will be held in the Vicarage at 9 p.m. on Sunday evening.

Church Council.

There will be a meeting of the Church Council at 6 p.m. on Monday, the 20th inst.

Dramatic Entertainment.

At 9.15 p.m. on Monday a Dramatic Entertainment will be held in the Church Hall under the auspices of St. Andrew's Club. Tickets \$1 including tax. The entertainment will include musical items and two sketches.

METHODIST CHURCH (Wanchai).

The following are the forthcoming services to be held at the Methodist Church (opposite R. N. Hospital, Queen's Road, E.)

Sunday, February 19.

Morning Service, 10.15 a.m. Preacher, Rev. E.C.H. Tribbeck. Sunday School, 3 p.m. Final meeting for the Winter season. To be addressed by Rev. E. C. H. Tribbeck.

Evening Service, 6 p.m. Preacher.—Rev. E. C. H. Tribbeck.

Friday, February 24.

Weekly Prayer Meeting, 7.30 p.m.

SAILORS & SOLDIERS' HOME.

Saturday, February 18.

A "Ramble," leaving the Home at 2 p.m., which will include a five mile walk, amid delightful scenery and company, at a cost of about 10 cents.

Badminton Tournament, 2.30 p.m.

Sunday, February 19.

Christian Social Hour, 8.15 p.m.

Monday, February 20.

Badminton Club meet.

Tuesday, February 21.

Fellowship Meeting, 8 p.m.

Wednesday, February 22.

A Lecture by Professor W. Brown, of the Hongkong University on the subject "A Visit to East Africa," illustrated by Lantern Slides, commencing 8.30 p.m.

Thursday, February 23.

An Entertainment of Choral and Instrumental music, given by Miss Flint and her Ladies' Choir, commencing 8.30 p.m.

Saturday, February 24.

A "Ramble," leaving the Home at 2 p.m.

UNION CHURCH (Kennedy Road).

The following are the forthcoming services, etc., at Union Church, Hongkong.

Sunday, February 19, Hospital Sunday.

Sunday School, Kennedy Road, 9.30 a.m.

Sunday School, Taikoo, 2.45 p.m.

Morning Service, 10.30 a.m. (Broadcast).

Preacher: Dr. A. Sydenham.

Evening Service 6 p.m. Preacher: The Rev. Frank Short.

The Communion of the Lord's Supper will be observed at the close of the evening service.

Offerings on behalf of the Alice Memorial and affiliated Hospitals.

A Social Hour will be held in the Church Hall after the evening service.

Church Choir Practice. Every Tuesday at 5.30 p.m.

Every Tuesday at 7.30 p.m. Devotional Meeting of the Soldiers' and Airmen's Christian Association. Service men heartily welcomed.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Macdonnell Road, below Bowen Road Tram Station. Sunday Service 11.15 a.m. Subject, "Mind."

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What they are made of and how to choose them

BY LINCOLN BENNETT.

WITHOUT entering into too detailed and technical an explanation of how Felt Hats are made, it is our endeavour to furnish a sufficiently complete description, both of the method of manufacture and of the materials used, to enable any man to decide what kind of felt hat will best suit his requirements before he buys it.

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How Felt is Made.

Many people imagine that the fur skin is used, that the felt hat is made in strips, or that the fur hairs are stuck together by some adhesive agent such as glue. None of these ideas is correct.

The fur is cut from the skin, is cleaned of all grease, pieces of skin and foreign matter, and all thick coarse hairs are removed. The fur is then in a very finely separated form.

The required weight—enough for one hat—of this pure fur is then thrown or sprayed out of the funnel mouth of a machine over and around a large finely perforated copper cone to which the fur is attracted by the suction induced by an electric fan working below the cone.

This perforated cone, which is continuously revolving, is wet and the hairs of the fur adhere to it, evenly covering its entire surface. Water from a superheated chamber is sprayed finely onto the cone, with the result that the individual hairs of fur come together, interlock and hold on to each other. In other words, the fur has begun to "felt," and the covering on the cone has changed its nature. From a covering of loose fur it has become a coating of thin felt of sufficient strength to allow of it being stripped off the cone, on which it was formed, in one piece.

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If the hairs are short and coarse they will be unable to hold together with the same tenacity as longer hairs; the felt will stretch and the hat quickly go out of shape, possibly also tear or break. If, on the other hand, the hairs are both long and fine, the close tough felt they make will produce hats that will not stretch and will therefore retain its shape.

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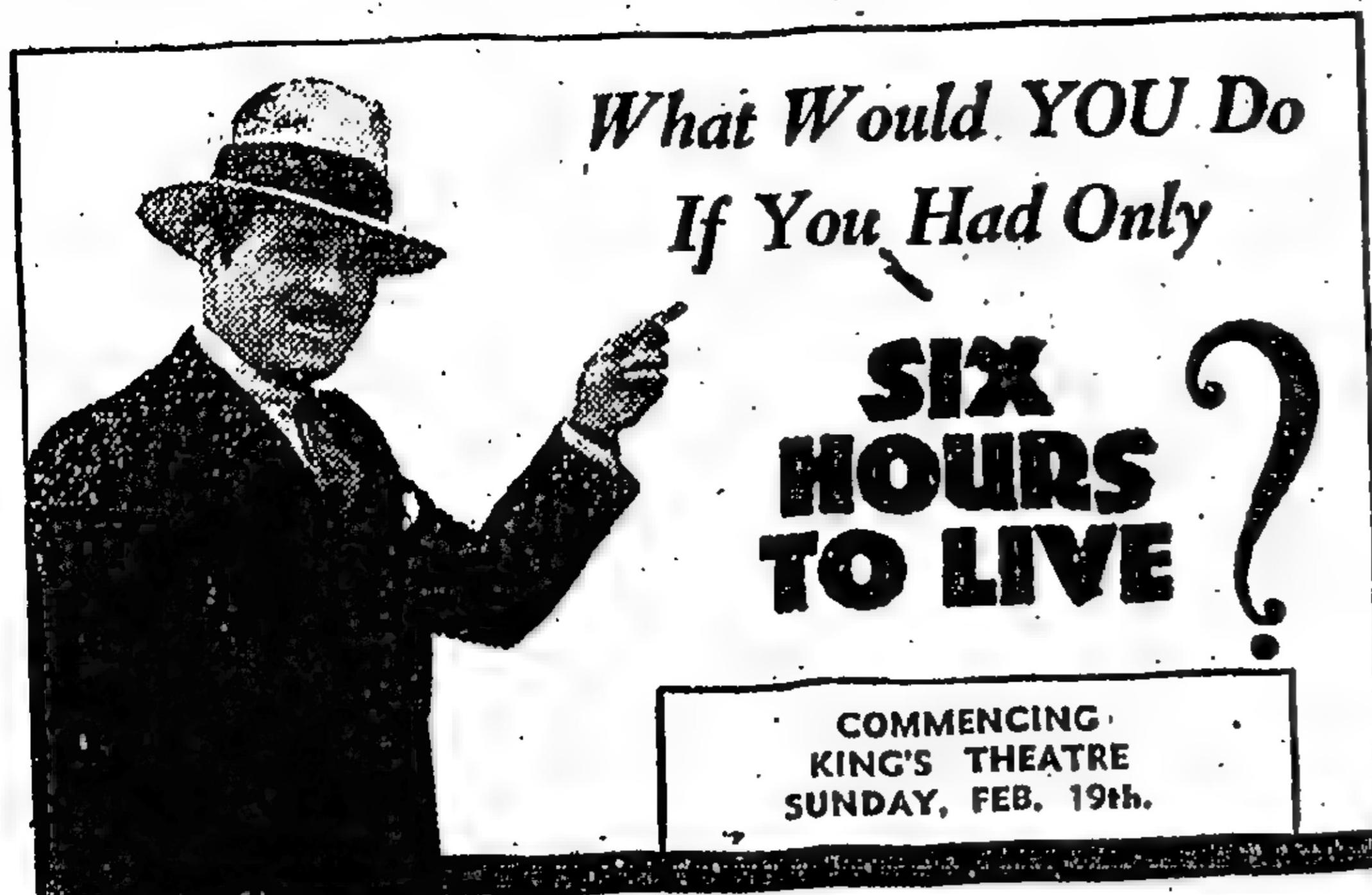
NOTICE is hereby given that the THIRTY-SIXTH ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING of Shareholders in the Company will be held in the Company's Board Room, 3rd floor, Exchange Building, Hongkong, on FRIDAY, 24th February, 1933, at NOON, for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the Directors for the year ended 31st December, 1932, electing Directors and Auditors, and for the transaction of any other Ordinary business of the Company.

NOTICE is also hereby given that the TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be closed from MONDAY, 13th February, 1933, until SATURDAY, 25th February, 1933, both days inclusive, during which period no Transfers of shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board,

D. L. KING,
Secretary.
Hongkong, 8th February, 1933.

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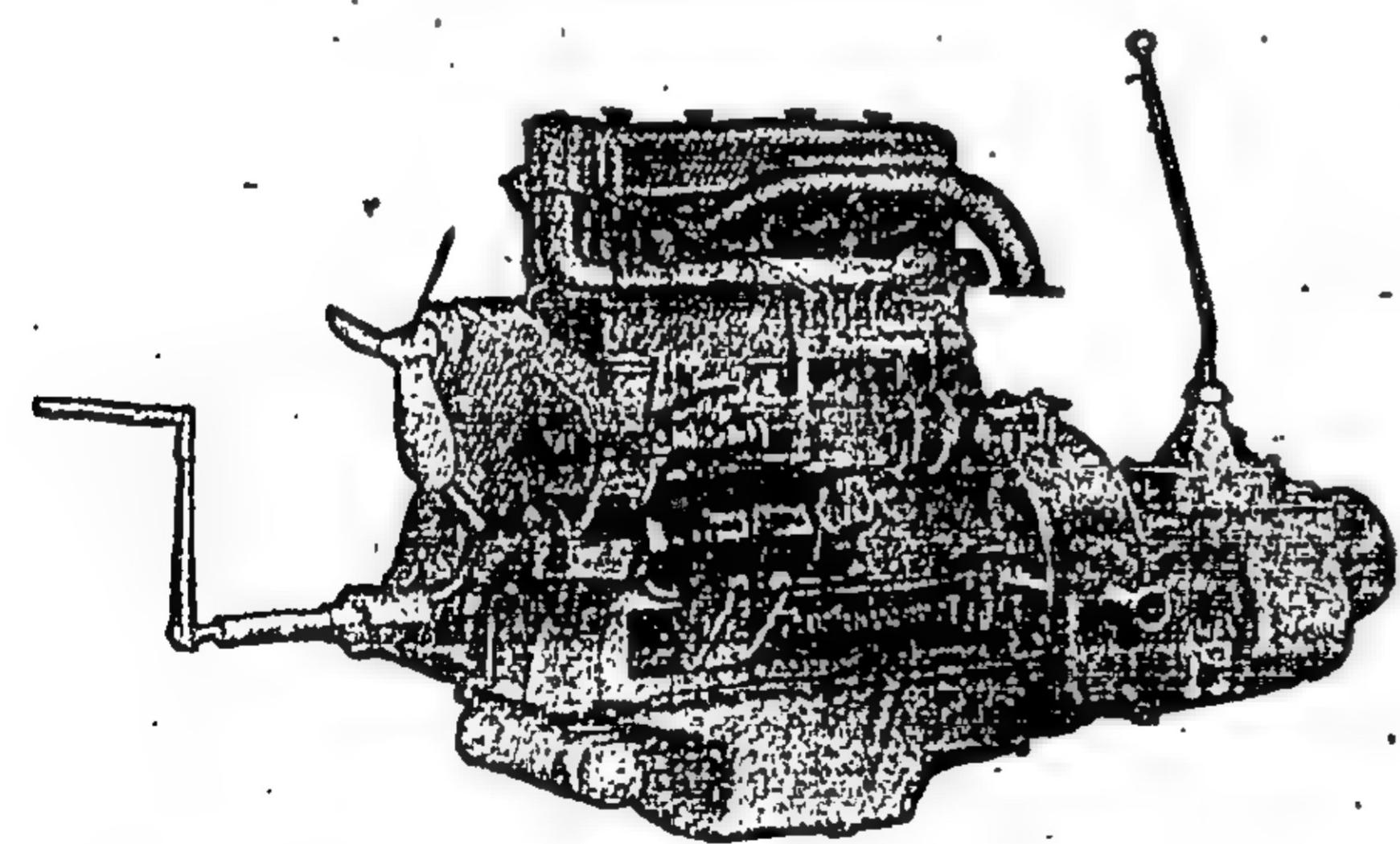
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The notice will remain until the housebreakers arrive. And then the last act in a long tragedy of struggle and endeavour will be over.

The church has been declared redundant. As such it was marked out for destruction some time ago by the Ecclesiastical Commissioners.

Under the general scheme which was approved by the Bishop of London, the money derived from the sale of the sites of redundant churches is to be devoted to the provision of new churches in thickly populated suburban areas.

Evensong was celebrated in the church for the last time on the eve of the Epiphany, when choir and clergy walked round the building in procession before the blessing was pronounced by the Bishop of Kensington.

FIGHT FOR EXISTENCE

The Vicar and the congregation fought the demolition scheme to the last. When first the church was declared to be redundant a series of objections earned it a year's reprieve. Final condemnation was fought with a series of petitions, processions, and agitation. The enlistment of public sympathy at one time almost saved the church.

If St. Mary's had not the savour of antiquity, it is pleasant in its surroundings. It was built in 1850, replacing another which had been successively a Greek church in the Seventeenth Century and a French Protestant church.

The congregation had dwindled to a handful—fewer than half-dozen at times. It is these alone who will lose their regular place of worship. But it will be missed by the hundreds to whom St. Mary's was a place of occasional meditation and rest. They will not gladly see erected on the site a cinema, which is one of the fates proposed for the site.

CÆSAR'S CAMP SAVED

BEAUTY SPOT FOR THE NATION

Cæsar's Camp, the treasure of antiquity which forms a "natural annexe" to Wimbledon Common, is to be scheduled by the Commissioners of Works under the Ancient Monuments Act, and will thus be saved to the nation for all time.

A draft Order is under preparation, and persons affected by it

will be entitled to compensation. The owner of the land is Admiral R. A. Plunkett-Erle-Drax.

There has been considerable opposition to the omission of the sites from the town planning scheme of the Wimbledon Corporation. The area was set out for development for building purposes when it

should change ownership, and houses were to be erected there ultimately at a density not exceeding four to the acre.

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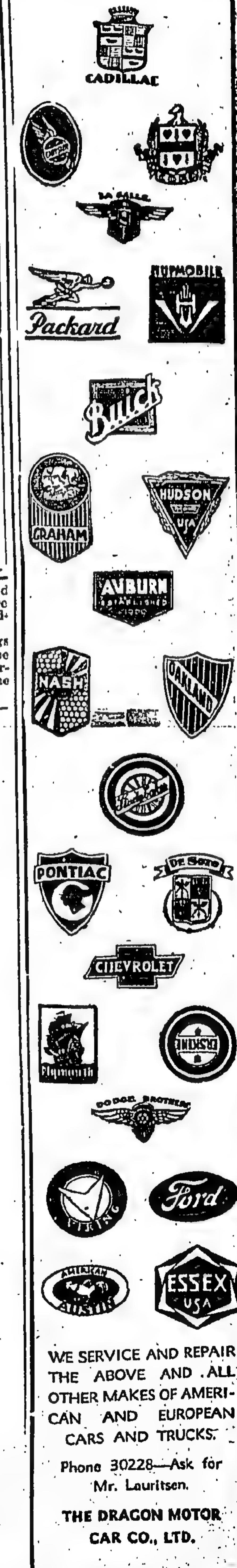
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YESTERDAY'S MARKET DULL

According to Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz, the New York market was dull yesterday. Business done: 600,000 shares. The *Wall Street Journal* reports.—The market was dull but advanced due to the Repeal of the 18th Amendment being passed by Senate; good reports in trade centres. Michigan situation quiet, firmer commodities and the reassurance that no railroad would be thrown into receivership on March 1st, all of which offset the unfavourable Federal Reserve statement showing an increase of \$149,000,000 in money circulation, largely due to the Michigan situation and also the loss of 24,000,000 monetary gold.

Dow-Jones Averages:

Feb. 16. Feb. 17.

30 Industrials 56.49 56.87

20 Rails 26.88 27.05

20 Utilities 23.50 23.84

40 Bonds 79.12 78.51

Feb. 16. Feb. 17.

American Can 55% 58%

American Smelting 12% 12%

American Tel. & Tel. 100% 101%

American Tobacco "B" 53% 54%

Anaconda Copper 6% 6%

Auburn 39% 40%

Bethlehem Steel 13% 13%

Canadian Pacific

Railway 9% 9%

Chase National Bank 90% 91%

Chrysler Corp. 11% 11%

Consolidated Gas of New York 48% 49%

Dixie Inc. 34% 35%

Du Pont de Nemours 35% 36%

Eastern Kodak 52% 54%

Electric Bond & Share 14% 14%

General Electric 13% 13%

General Foods 23% 23%

General Motors 12% 12%

General Railway Signal 18% 18%

Gillette Safety Razor 15% 16%

GoodYear Tire & Rubber 11% 12%

International Harvester 10% 16%

International Nickel 7% 7%

International Tel. & Tel. 6% 6%

Lippert & Myers "B" 50% 51%

Loew's Inc. 14% 15%

Montgomery Ward 11% 11%

National City Bank 30% 40%

Pacific Gas & Electric 27% 27%

Packard Motors 2% 2%

Pennsylvania Railroad 10% 17%

Radio Corporation of America 4% 4%

Reynolds Tobacco "B" 28% 28%

Sears Roebuck 16% 16%

Shell Union 4% 4%

Socney Vacuum Company 6% 6%

Standard Oil Co. of N.J. 12% 24%

Texas Corporation 22% 23%

Union Carbide & Carbon 70% 71%

Union Pacific 21% 22%

United Aircraft & Trans. 8% 8%

U.S. Rubber 20% 20%

U.S. Steel 25% 26%

Woolworth 30% 29%

RADIO BROADCAST

(Continued from Page 8.)

Maria Jeritza (Soprano). 1273. Violin Solo—*Serenata (Vlontemps)*. Renée Chemet. 1242.

Chorus—*Lohengrin*—The Swan.

Chorus—*Lohengrin*—Procession to the Cathedral (Wagner).

Chorus and Symphony Orchestra conducted by Albert Coates. 9017.

Organ Solo—*Hooray (Handel)*.

Organ Solo—*Sabroso (Grieg)*. G. D. Cunningham. 12650.

Chorus—*Freischütz*—*Jägerchen (Huntsmen's Chorus) (Weber)*.

Chorus—*Carmen*—*Chorus of Cigars (Bizet)*.

Metropolitan Opera Chorus. 4173.

Orchestral—*Coronation March* (Meyerbeer).

Orchestral—*War March of the Priests (Mendelssohn)*.

Philharmonic Symphony Orchestra of New York. 7104.

Song—*Samson et Dalila*—*Arrezzo, C Mea Freres (Saint-Saëns)*.

Song—*Samson et Dalila*—*Is Your God Not on High? (Saint-Saëns)*.

Giovanni Martinelli (Tenor). 8159.

9-30 p.m. From the Studio.

A Pianoforte recital by Miss Amelia Li.

Sonata in B Minor (Chopin).

1st Movement—Allegro maestoso.

2nd Movement—Schizzo.

3rd Movement—Largo.

4th Movement—Presto non tanto.

9-30 p.m. Dance Music.

Fox Trot—*Lonesome Me*.

Fox Trot—*My Love*.

Russ Colombo and His Orch. 24077.

Waltz—*Someday We'll Meet Again*.

Fox Trot—*'Twas Only a Summer Night's Dream*.

Isham Jones and His Orch. 24129.

Waltz—*Mardi Gras*.

Fox Trot—*Someone to Care For*.

George Olsen and His Music. 24069.

Waltz—*Songs for Sale*.

Fox Trot—*It Was so Beautiful*.

George Olsen and His Music. 24070.

Waltz—*Where the Sun Goes Down on a Little Prairie Town*.

Fox Trot—*Deep in Your Eyes*.

Wayne King and His Orch. 22080.

10 p.m. Close Down.

All records in the above European programmes, except where otherwise stated, are kindly supplied by Messrs. S. Moutric and Co.

LONDON STOCK PRICES

GILT-EDGED ISSUES FIRM

The following quotations on the London Stock Exchange have been received by Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz in conjunction with Reuter. Gilt-edged issues were very firm yesterday. Otherwise the market was very quiet and irregular.

Feb. 16. Feb. 17.

Chinese Bonds

4½% Bonds 1898 (Eng. Isl.) . . . £ 94 £ 95½

4½% Loan 1908 . . . £ 66 £ 67

5% Loan 1912 . . . £ 37 £ 38

6% Reorg. Loan 1913 (Ldn. Ins.) . . . £ 69 £ 70

6% Bonds 1925-47 . . . £ 96 £ 97

5% Shai-Nanking Rly. £ 35-40 £ 35-40

5% Tientsin-Pukow Rly. £ 15-25 £ 15-25

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5% Shai-Hang-chow Ningpo Rly. £ 75-80 £ 75-80

5% Honan Rly. £ 6-10 £ 6-10

5% Hukiung Rly. £ 18-24 £ 18-24

5% Lung Tsing U. £ 12-16 £ 12-16

Foreign Bonds

German 7% International Loan 1924 88/6 90/3

Japan 5% Sterling Loan 1907 £ 64 £ 65½

Japan 5% Sterling Loan 1924 £ 62 £ 62

Associated Elec. Industries 17/0 17/0

Brit. Amor. Tob. 90/10 95/7½

Chinese Eng. & Min. 22/6 22/6

J. & P. Coats 49/6 49/6

Courtairds 28/9 29/9

Distillers 63/6 64/6

Dunlop Rubber 21/7½ 21/7½

Eveready 30/- 30/-

General Electric (England) 42/- 42/-

Guinness 60/- 60/3

Imp. Chem. Industries 25/3 25/1½

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DEALERS GATHER

South Bond, Dec. 2. Studebaker and Rockne dealers from the South Bend and Chicago territories, gathered here to-day for the purpose of viewing the new 1933 Studebaker and Rockne models, were provided with varied entertainment to add zest to the seriousness of the day's work.

At an informal luncheon held at noon, business discussions were pleasantly interspersed with colorful motion pictures and the presence of a bevy of beautiful girls who were used most effectively to dramatize the official presentation of the new models to the assembled guests. Music was also provided.

The chief speakers were Albert Russell Erskine, president, The Studebaker Corporation, Paul G. Hoffman, president of the Studebaker Sales Corporation of America, and George M. Graham, vice-president of Rockne Motors Corporation. Harold S. Vance, president of Rockne Motors, and D. G. Ross, chief engineer, The Studebaker Corporation, also spoke briefly, detailing the various engineering advancements which feature the new Studebaker and Rockne cars.

THE HONGKONG HOTEL
GARAGE.

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DEATH.

WARD.—At Kennedy Town Hospital at 5.30 p.m. on February 17, Vernon Byron Ward, aged 13 months, dearly beloved son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ward. Funeral will pass the Monument at 3.15 p.m. to-day.

The
Hongkong Telegraph.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 1933.

THE CONTROL OF
AVIATION

Opinion on the question of international control of aviation is still divided. The British contention, that such control is essential if the menace of aerial attacks on cities is to be removed, does not meet with the approval of America, which holds that, by reason of her geographical position, the plan is neither feasible nor desirable. In this connexion, it is to be noted that the Hoover plan of disarmament called for the abolition of all bombing aircraft, but the point that seems to be lost sight of is that civil machines are quite easily convertible into bombing planes. The original British proposals were based on acceptance of any practical scheme to preserve civilians from aerial bombardment, for which purpose it was proposed that all bombing should be within limits defined by an international convention. It was further suggested that there should be limitation of the unladen weight of all military and naval aircraft, as well as of the numbers of such machines. France favours the total abolition of air bombardment, if accompanied by internationalisation of civil aircraft, and also urges an organically international air force, to be at the disposal of a State which is the victim of aggression. Britain now comes definitely forward in support of the French idea of international control, and the whole subject is to be studied by a specially-appointed committee. The ideal, of course, is the elimination of warfare altogether, and the establishing of permanent peace. But this is still far from realisation. In the meantime, steps must be taken to stop mankind from becoming the victim of its own inventiveness. Nations have built up fleets of bombing machines, and while they exist, or even while commercial machines which can be quickly transformed exist, the outbreak of war might easily provoke their employment. What is needed is the utter and unequivocal ostracising of aerial warfare and of those who resort to it. By slow degrees the nations are coming to realise the effectiveness of the moral weapon, and there is definite promise of something being done to banish

some of the worst features of warfare. But until this aerial problem is finally settled, the world will continue to be exposed to horrors the full nature of which it is difficult to visualise.

Federal India

Federation between British India and the Indian Native States has definitely emerged as a practical project. The criticism has frequently been made that federation is an impossibility, mainly because the federating units consist of elements so contrary to each other as to be unblendable. A British Government whose constituents are primarily Conservative has proved this to be a fallacy, even though the Conservatives were the first to hesitate about accepting federation when it was proposed at the first Round Table Conference. The federation idea derived its impetus from the decision of the Indian Princes to affiliate their domains with British India under a constitution that would have all India for its sphere. Prior to the first Round Table Conference, federation was viewed as an ideal to be attained; but the decision of the princes took the issue from the realm of idealism and brought it within the ambit of practical politics. It was only in the reflective environment of India that the princes began to think twice about what they had proposed and began to be doubtful if they would obtain the best of the bargain when their autocratic power came into conflict with the democratic ideas which the British have fostered in British India during 150 years of association with Indians. The last conference showed that although there still is hesitancy on the part of many princes to enter federation, it may safely be said that federation will ultimately be India's status.

When the final history of India's constitutional question is written, it will be recorded that the victory has gone to the realists. Chief among the realists is Sir Samuel Hoare, the Secretary of State for India. He has made it clear that the new Government of India can work only if the triple association of Great Britain, British India and the Indian Native States is maintained. By defining the scope and purpose of the various safeguards he has brought the entire constitutional issue into precise terms. He has transformed volumes of generalities into the skeleton of a parliamentary bill. In doing it he has satisfied Indians as to the sincerity of the British people toward Indian aspirations.

Felt From Faces

Russia has a new industry. It is making felt boots from hair. There is nothing extraordinary in this. Hair has been long used in the manufacture of felt. But Russia proposes to get the raw material largely from the faces of the boot wearers. Herein lies both thrift and economy. It has been learned that the whisker is of excellent quality, and the way is thus opened for development of a whisker crop on a scale never before attempted. Russian whiskers are a tradition. They are known all over the world. But the government edict officially impounding every harvested whisker throughout the land ultimately must result in the recognition of Russia as the leading whisker-producing nation of the world. The demands of the growing felt industry—or should one say the felt-growing industry?—must be met and if bumper crops are not forthcoming prizes may be offered for the best acreage in each community. In gathering the whisker crop the Government makes no distinction as to individual methods of production. A whisker is a whisker whether it sprouts in a set of burnsides or flourishes in the jungle of a galways development. The patriarch brand undoubtedly yields the greatest number of bushels an acre, but it is felt that any nondescript crop has its value in adding to the output of the felt industry. Incidentally, the barber shops, which are constituted a sort of whisker silo by the edict, may be spurred to greater achievement by promises of copies of "The Wind Blew Through His Whiskers" for the largest number of bales collected within a given period.

GOODBYE TO
FOR A FEW HOURS
HONGKONG

By E. G. B.

The virtues of the walk I am about to describe are four. First, the longest climb and the least interesting part comes at the beginning; secondly, you will be able, at this time, to spread yourself upon a bed of heather; thirdly the way home is easy to find and leads you down a gentle descent to the bus terminus; and lastly, you will feel as refreshed as if you had spent a week-end away in the country, since, after the first twenty minutes you turn your back on Hongkong and all things familiar, and catch no further glimpse of it until the evening.

Take a map, or not, as you choose (the one in the Hongkong guide book will do) and about 10.30 a.m. get into any bus that goes to Kowloon City. No 3 is a good one if you are starting from the Star Ferry. Either walk for a quarter of a mile from the terminus, or let a No. 10 bus, which goes to the aerodrome, drop you at the second and last turning to the left. The turning is in a wide and unmistakable road and leads past the Kowloon Dairy Farm and up to Customs Pass.

It will take three quarters of an hour to achieve the Pass, and you will have resisted all temptation to turn to the right, and will have stuck steadfastly all the time to Kowloon Peak which towers above you on the left.

At the actual pass there is a lovely view in front of you of wooded hills and valleys on the shores of Hebe Haven, whilst behind, a white road leads back over the hills to Lyuen.

On the left stands the range of hills of which Kowloon Peak is the Eastern terminus, and three-quarters of the way up runs your Alpine path, with precipitous slopes of wind-blown grass rising above it to the summit, and equally perpendicular slopes falling away beneath. This path has a rather invisible beginning about fifty yards down from the head of the Pass, but once you are on it nothing can go wrong and an hour's walk brings you to your destination, Heather Pass.

Straight and Narrow

The way is as straight and narrow as the proverbial path allotted to the righteous: a rule could be laid along it, one end at Customs Pass, the other at Heather Pass, but it is far more enticing to follow the path which the righteous were taught to expect. It provides wonderful panoramas of hills and bays and the open sea, and then hides them behind hills that suddenly rise up on your right. Then it follows a murmuring stream, idles past Dingley Dell, curves round Heather Hill and lands you at Heather Pass, hungry and clamouring for refreshment.

Here, unless you know the land well, the map will help you to discover Tide Cove, and beyond, Needle Hill and Tai-Mo-Shan: straight ahead is Buffalo Hill, and away behind it and to the right are Ma-On-Shan and the Hunchbacks. It is a most beautiful spot this, in the New Territories. It is difficult to believe that no deep blue was the best we could make of it!

In short, we should most likely use our day of power very much as we use the seventy years that are given to us as our life. Some would make the best possible use of it, others would waste it in self-indulgence, but the majority would have the time of their lives; but again probably most would feel that one couldn't make a great deal out of a day, and it would be all over before they had found out how to enjoy themselves.

One wonders what most of us would make of it if we were given the equivalent of what this man asked for—power for twenty-four hours and no one to check us in the exercise of it. Some, no doubt, would honestly set out to use it for the benefit of their fellows; but probably many, with the best intentions in the world, would decide that a day was really not long enough to do anything in that was worth while, and would let the opportunity slip through their fingers. Some, on the other hand, would have the time of their lives; but again probably most would feel that one couldn't make a great deal out of a day, and it would be all over before they had found out how to enjoy themselves.

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BULLS AND INNERS

The Week's Great Thought: Pshaw!

Now that England has won the Ashes, Australia has to be content with the sackcloth.

"That's the ticket"—as we all hope to say next week.

If ZBW is hard up for running commentaries, why not try some of the Colony's shrills?

A local solicitor is said to have obtained Bernard Shaw's signature by a ruse. The unfortunate part of the business is that it wasn't on a chit.

LIFE:—A.B.C. . . . I.O.U. . . . Nec . . . R.I.P.

"Pull for the Shaw, lads," seems to be the motto of a lot of these people who write to the Editor.

Edward Kelly says a poor listener is a man who insists on telling you the number of stations he gets on his wireless, when you want to tell him the result of your operation.

These slit skirts are another illustration of the predominance of the leg-theory.

Cements have figured prominently in share deals this week. But the market still fails to stick.

As was to be expected, this Brussels crisis is sprouting up again. We hasten to add, however, that Mr. Shaw did not visit Belgium on his world tour.

A new Peer, aged 80, has just taken his seat in the House of Lords. MacWhirter suggests that at that age he should take to his bed.

The H.K.V.D.C. is to have a Cricket Week. We suggest that it is definitely bad to encourage Volunteers to run.

Appropriately enough, the Government is going to take steps in the matter of these dancing academics.

There is no truth in the rumour that Robert MacWhirter is to deliver a lecture at the University on "Humour and Its Action on the Epiglottis".

"Henry Ford Under Fire," says heading in a contemporary. Back fire?

Another man is to go round the world in a junk. The Empress of Britain, on the other hand, is taking a lot of junk round the world. This should even things up.

To-day reminds us that local brokers seem to have entirely discarded their Derbys.

What's all this fuss about dancing academics? One can see a taxi-cab array any day outside the G.P.O.

That's the wost of these Army abbreviations. We hear of a gallant officer who was annoyed to receive the message—"C.O. may G.T.H." It only meant "get the house!"

"Thirteen Women" indeed! Many a man has found one unlucky!

"Women are now wearing the accentuated collar," states a Home fashion writer. Some we know would be better cuffed!

We've noticed a lot of Testiness among the Australians lately.

Races to-day. Yes, in the spring a young man's fancy often

Out of the style box!



HATS for MEN

The wide business founded on "Henry Heath" hats is both evidence and guarantee of their quality. As regards shape, it need only be said that "Henry Heath" hats have withstood the keen critical judgment of men for many successive seasons, and have played no small part in the establishment of the hat fashions of the past decade.

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21 pieces consisting of 6 Cups and Saucers, 6 Tea Plates, 1 Slop Basin, 1 Cream Jug, 1 Cake Plate.

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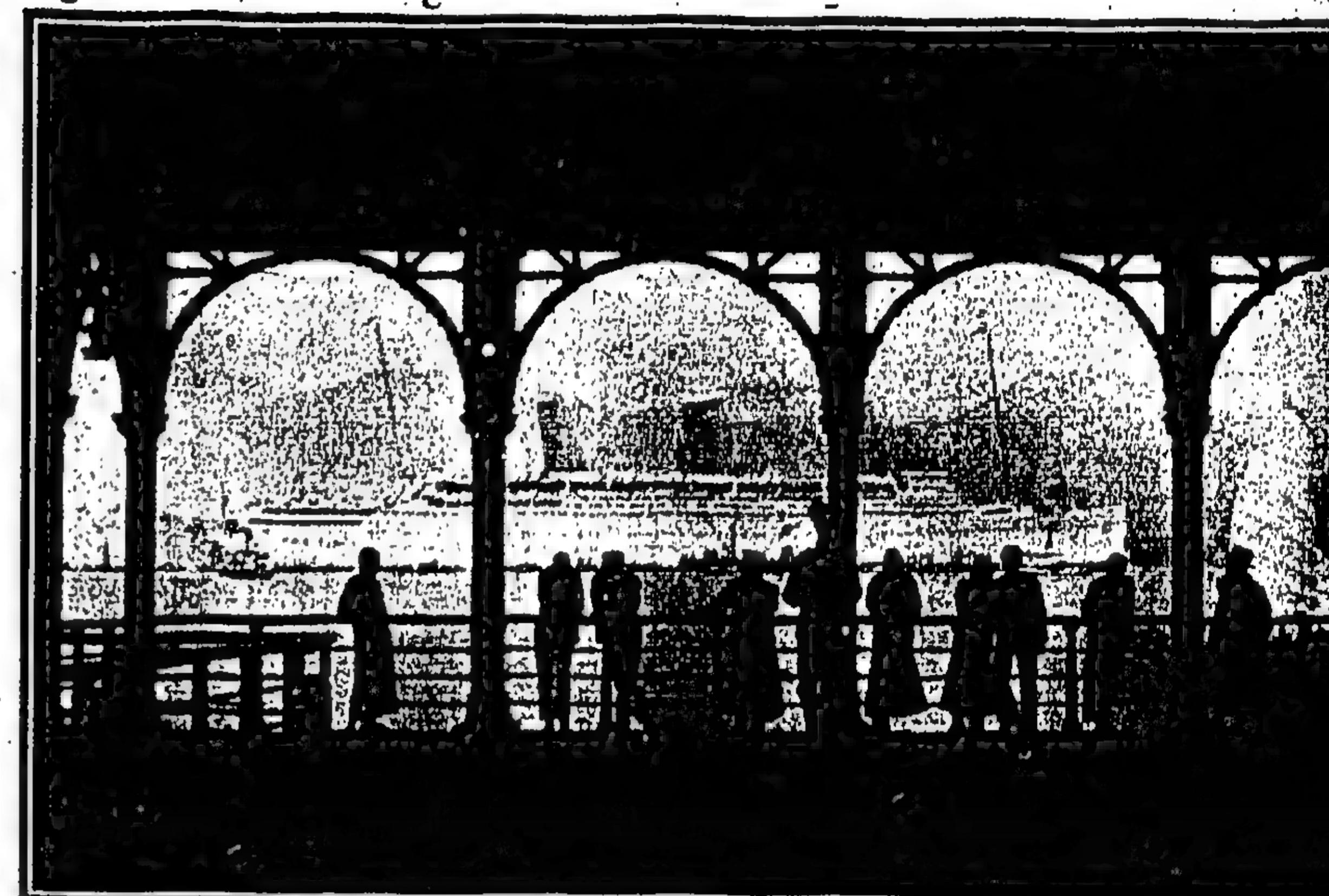
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Another picture of three young pupils of Mr. Charles, taking a ride in the New Territories.



"Smiles." A happy snapshot taken aboard the well-known yacht "U and I."



An effective picture showing the luxury liner Empress of Britain lying off Queen's Pier during her visit this week. (Photo: Mr. J. C. Grenham).



Members of the Anzac Company of the Volunteer Defence Corps firing at the Peak range on Sunday.



George Bernard Shaw delivering his much-discussed speech at the Hongkong University. (Photo: Ming Yuen).



Loch Ryan, winner of the February Steeplechase at Fanling. Mr. Schreiber was the jockey. (Photo: Mac Cheung).



Three of Mr. Charles' young pupils are seen in this photograph with Mr. W. Pay, the well-known Chinese jockey.



A recent visitor to Hongkong was Mr. E. H. Lewis, the curator of the Catalina Island bird park, California. He is shown above with two of his pets. Mr. Lewis has presented several birds to the Aviary at the local Botanic Gardens.

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PICTORIAL SUPPLEMENT

SATURDAY, February 18th, 1933.

**BEAUTIFUL
SILKS
FOR SPRING**

THE BOMBAY SILK STORE
2—D'AGUILAR ST.—2



The remarkable ivory carving illustrated above, which is being exhibited at Komor & Komor's showrooms, reveals Chinese art at its highest. Standing two feet high, the figure is one of the triumphs of the Chien Lung Dynasty.



Putting the finishing touches to red lacquer stools which will form part of a set, with a replica of a Ch'ien Lung throne, being sent from Peking to the Chicago World Fair.



Making beautiful silk rugs, after designs copied from examples in the Palace Museum of the Forbidden City in Peking, which are to be sent to the Chicago Fair.



His Excellency the Governor snapped having tea at the Fanling Races on Sunday. (Photo: Pictorial Review).



Here are the teams which took part in the annual soccer match between the foreign and Chinese staffs of Lane Crawford, Ltd. The former won by three goals to nil. (Photo: Mee Cheung).



Mr. Donald Anderson, graduate of Hongkong University and well-known interport cricketer, who has left for England to continue his studies. (Photo: Ming Yuen).



Group taken at Mr. Chan Lim-pak's residence at a reception given to General Tsai Ting-kai, who is seated in middle row fourth from right. (Photo: Yim Fong).



A typical bookstall scene in a street at Peking during Chinese New Year.



No; these are not beads. They are strings of dried apples being sold by a street vendor in Peking. (Photo: Ming Yuen).



Mr. Bernard Shaw at "Idlewild," Sir Robert Ho Tung's residence. Left to right: Mrs. Shaw, Major Ho Tung, Sir Robt. Ho Tung, Mrs. Simpson, Mr. Shaw, Professor Simpson and Lady Ho Tung. (Photo: A. Fong).



Miss Master on Country Club, winner of the Ladies' Race at Fanling. (Photo: Pictorial Review).



Mr. Jordan on Bay of Calamity, which won the Fox Hunters Lightweight Cup at Fanling. (Photo: Mee Cheung).



Photo shows the team from the Anzac Company of the Volunteer Defence Corps which won the Machine-Gun Competition. (Photo: Ming Yuen).

SHANGHAI WAR TRAGEDY

NAVAL MEMORIAL SERVICE

(Special to "Telegraph")

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Shanghai, Feb. 18. Memorial services were held yesterday at the Hunglao Cemetery by Captain Drew, the commander of H.M.S. Suffolk and officers of the same ship, together with a detachment of sailors, in commemoration of the deaths of Able Seaman H. A. Francis and Able Seaman H. G. Prior, who were on duty on Hongkew Wharf when a Chinese three-inch shell, aimed at a P. and O. steamer, exploded.

They were the first foreign fatalities in the Shanghai "War." Their shipmates aboard the Suffolk were greatly grieved by their loss and laid wreaths on their graves yesterday to show that they have not forgotten.—Reuter.

U.S. ATTITUDE

MR. ROOSEVELT TO DECIDE POLICY

Washington, Feb. 18. The State Department indicates that a decision as to participation of the United States on the League's Conciliation Committee appointed in connexion with the Sino-Japanese crisis will be left to President-Elect Roosevelt.

Senator Swanson, who will probably be the next Chairman of the Foreign Relations Committee, says the League Report is too delicate to allow comment now.

"It is premature to announce any Manchurian policy in advance of the new President's decision," he declared.—Reuter.

NEW MORATORIUM FOR GERMANY

BANK "STANDSTILL" AGREEMENT.

Berlin, Feb. 17. The standstill agreement in regard to Germany's short-term debts has, after long negotiations, been prolonged for a year from February 28, when the existing agreement expires.—Reuter.

FIRST ELECTRIC EXPRESS

BETWEEN LONDON BIRMINGHAM

London, Feb. 17. Britain's first electric express train, called the Armstrong Steel Express, which is running between London and Birmingham in connexion with the British Industries Fair, which opens on Monday follows the route of the first express train to run to London 95 years ago.

The maximum speed attained during the journey is 70 miles hourly, but the schedule allows two hours and seven minutes for the 112 miles journey.—British Wireless.

MOUNT EVEREST EXPEDITION

LEADERS FLYING TO INDIA

London, Feb. 17. The three Puss Moth aeroplanes piloted by leaders of the British Mount Everest Expedition, which flew from England to Lyons yesterday, continued their journey to India.

They flew to Marseilles this morning and later left for Sizan in Italy.—British Wireless.

BRITISH RETAIL PRICES

SLIGHT DECREASE REPORTED

London, Feb. 17. On February 1st, the average level of retail prices of commodities was approximately 41 per cent. above the level of July, 1932, as compared with 42 per cent. one month earlier, and 47 per cent. one year earlier.—British Wireless.

JUNK PIRATED SMALL HAUL BY RAIDERS

A piracy on a junk in British waters, between Lung Sha Wan and Kau Sai, in the Kung District, was committed yesterday afternoon by four men who were armed with three revolvers and four daggers.

A shop fok of the Shaukiwan district who was on board the junk reported the incident to the Kai Sung police last night. He stated that together with another fok and two women, he had gone to Lung Sha Wan from Kai Sung at 7 a.m. yesterday and there bought 480 catties of dried seaweed.

The junk then went to Kau Sai and when halfway between the two places he saw a small Hoklo boat approaching, with four men on board. The craft drew alongside and the four men boarded the junk, the occupants of which were threatened by the pirates.

A sum of \$10 and four bags of seaweed were stolen by the pirates who later decamped.

DOLLAR AGAIN RISES

LOCAL MARKET UNCERTAIN

The Hongkong dollar advanced 1/8th this morning to 1.84d. The local market, however, is still uncertain, and banks are only doing business against cover.

In London, silver rose 1/8th. China bought and India sold. After the official fixing, the market ruled firm on further buying and absence of sellers.

New York reports silver up 1/8th, and the cross-rate has advanced to 3.44½.

PRINCESS CHENG

GIVES BIRTH TO DAUGHTER IN LONDON

London, Feb. 17. Princess Cheng, sister of Mr. Henry Pu Yi, to-day gave birth to a daughter at the home of Sir Reginald Johnston with whom she and her husband have been staying since they arrived in England on February 15.

Mr. Cheng is a grandson of Cheng Hsiao-hsu, the scholar-Premier of Manchukuo.—Reuter's Special.

SMALL POX TOLL.

NINE HUNDRED CASES IN BOMBAY

Bombay, Feb. 17. Over nine hundred persons have died of small-pox since the outbreak, which began during the second week of December.

During the last four days, 129 cases have been reported.—Reuter's Special.

DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

LET YOUR LIFE BE COUNTED BY THE MILESTONES OF ACHIEVEMENT AND NOT BY THE TIMEPIECE OF YEARS.—Clara Barton.

It is noted that the name of the Shanghai Kwong Yick Land and Investment Company, Limited, has been struck off the Register.

Three cases of small-pox, two cases of diphtheria, one case of typhoid and two cases of meningitis, were reported to the health authorities on Thursday.

His Excellency the Governor has, with the approval of the Secretary of State for the Colonies appointed Mr. R. M. Henderson to be Director of Public Works.

His Excellency the Governor has, under instructions from the Secretary of State for the Colonies, recognised Mr. Walworth Barbour, provisionally and pending the issue of His Majesty's Exequatur, as Vice-Consul for the United States of America in Hongkong.

A brief report was received from the Kai Sung District of a piracy by a junk in British waters between Lung Shau Wan and Kau Sai at 3.20 p.m. yesterday by an unknown Hoklo boat of about 15 piculs. Four men armed with three revolvers and four daggers are stated to have boarded the craft and to have decamped with \$10 in money and four bags of dried seaweed.

The health bulletin of Eastern ports for the week ended February 11, shows the following cases of infectious diseases and deaths:—thereof: Plague, Baghdad 1 case, Colombo 4 cases 2 deaths; Cholera, Calcutta 14 cases 8 deaths; Small-pox, Alexandria 301 cases 52 deaths, Basra 2 cases, Beirut 0 cases, Basra 2 cases, Bombay 332 cases 164 deaths, Calcutta 322 cases 203 deaths, Karachi 8 cases 3 deaths, Madras 11 cases 24 deaths, Moulmein 1 case, Negapatam 2 cases, Rangoon 1 case, Colombo 18 cases 6 deaths, Macao 2 cases 2 deaths, Canton 84 cases.

THE VOLUNTEERS ORDERS FOR THE COMING WEEK ISSUED

Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps Orders by Colonel L. G. Bird, D.B.E., commanding Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps.

Friday, Feb. 17.

Parades.

(a) Battery.—Parade for Signal Section at Headquarters at 5.30 p.m., sharp, on Tuesday, February 21st, and Thursday, February 23rd. 2. Parade for whole Battery at 5.30 p.m. on Thursday, February 23rd, at Headquarters.

(b) Engineer Company.—Friday, Feb. 24th, D. L. Instruction, Wellington Barracks.

(c) Corps Signals.—Parade at Corps Headquarters at 5.30 p.m. on Thursday, 23rd February.

(d) Armoured Car Section.—There will be no parade on Monday, 26th instant.

(e) Machine Gun Company.—The Company will parade as strong as possible on Friday, 24th February at 5.30 p.m. at Headquarters in must for review drill. No. 4 Platoon will proceed to Kennedy Road Range and return.

(f) Portuguese Company.—There will be no parade on Tuesday, 21st February. Peak Range.

(g) Royal Engineers.—Platoon Commanders will please obtain definite promises of attendance from members of their units so that the necessary arrangements may be made for ammunition etc., giving numbers to Lieutenant Remedios by Friday, the 24th February.

Stonecutters Range. Attention is drawn to the alterations in dates available for firing Classification Tests. Instead of the dates mentioned in the Corps Diary viz.:—March 26th, and April 22nd, the Company will have March 5th, and March 10th, (two dates only).

Platoon Commanders will please ascertain how their men can best be grouped so as to complete both Gun and Rifle Classification Tests on these two days, and inform O. C. Company at the earliest possible moment.

Transfer. No. 1087 Pte. C. H. Williams, having been posted to No. 12 Platoon in error.

(h) Anzac Company.—The Company will parade in full strength at Corps Headquarters on Thursday, 23rd February and not on Monday, the 20th February.

(i) The Officers' Commanding the unmentioned Units will issue their Orders separately to their Commands:

I Machine Gun Troop.

II Motor Machine Gun Section.

Corps Diary.—Amendments.

(a) Stonecutters Range is allotted to the Portuguese Company on 5th, and 10th March.

(b) All Rifle Casuals will fire on 12th March.

(c) The 26th, March and 2nd, April are allotted to Victoria Gun Mounting Gun Company.

Motor Machine Gun Section, Armoury.

ed Car Section. Applications for these dates must be made to The Adjutant at once.

(d) Members of the Reserve Company are requested to fire on the 12th March or alternatively at the Peak Range on subsequent dates.

Stonecutters Range.

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"RINGTAIL'S" FINAL SELECTIONS

SID HIRD
FOR
ENGLANDPLAY IN LANCASHIRE
LEAGUE CRICKETLEAVING AUSTRALIA
IN MARCH

New South Wales is losing a fine cricketer and Australia a potential Test player, as Sid Hird is going to England to play in the Lancashire League.

At the moment Hird does not know with which club he will play but it will be announced, it is expected later. He will leave Sydney about next March.

Hird is a splendid cricketer who should do well in League cricket. Since the days when he was a school boy his name has often been mentioned as a player with a future, but for some time he scarcely bore out the hopes of his friends. A dash of rashness spoilt his batting but experience has tempered that and last season he became a marked man.

FINE ALL-ROUNDER

A century score against the South Africans did much to establish him, and this season he has done fine work with bat and ball, taking six wickets for his State against England and routing the Victorians.

He is an all-rounder of definite promise for he can field as well as bat and bowl.

Everyone will regret that Hird is going. Australia can ill afford to lose promising youngsters but he must of course look to the future. Work has not been over-plentiful "Down Under" whereas a player of his quality should earn a first-rate livelihood on the other side of the world. Cricketers will wish the young player the best of luck.

Claude Spencer, who arranged the business with Hird, is one of those chaps who loves cricket and cricketers. Of course, he gets nothing out of it, but, being known to the Lancashire League officials, is asked by them for advice whenever they are looking for a player. Mr. Spencer, in this case, passed on the offer to Hird, who is out of work, and it was accepted.

AQUATIC SPORTS.

New Local Association
to Take Charge.

INAUGURAL MEETING.

A newly formed local association proposes to take charge of aquatic sports during the coming season, the Hongkong International Amateur Swimming Association having been inaugurated to take the place of the now defunct Hongkong Amateur Swimming Association which was wound up owing to financial difficulties.

The inaugural meeting which was held at Lane Crawford's Restaurant was attended by representatives of several local bodies, and after the rules had been considered and passed officials were elected as follows: Chairman: Mr. Y. K. Mok; Secretary, Mr. E. W. Rollon; Assistant Secretary, Mr. D. Sutherland; Treasurer, Mr. A. Donn.

It was decided to hold a meeting on Friday, March 3 at Lane Crawford's Restaurant when representatives of affiliated bodies will elect a council and nominate a President and two Vice-Presidents.

THE FIFTH TEST.

Australian Player Not Available.

Melbourne, Feb. 17. The Australian cricketer Nagel is unavailable for the fifth Test match which is to be played on February 23, owing to an injured arm.—Reuter.

Nagel played in the first Test. He is primarily a bowler.

MOTOR CYCLING.

Club Arranges for All-Day
Outing To-morrow.

An all-day motor-biking outing in the New Territories has been arranged for to-morrow by the Hongkong Motor Cycling Club.

Members of the Club and those who wish to participate in the run should meet at the Kowloon Car Park at 9 A.M. to-morrow, bringing their own "cats."

A CORRECTION.

It was stated by "Stumper" in yesterday's cricket notes that the Civil Service C.C. 2nd XI obtained their first League point in their draw against the Club de Recreio last Saturday. It has been pointed out that the Civil Servants defeated the Royal Engineers and Signals on 10th December, 1932.

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OPENS

"Ringtail's" final selections for to-day's opening of the annual meeting of the Hongkong Jockey Club have been made and below will be found his nominees for the twelve events which start off the week's programme.

1st Race

The Goat
Black Rock
Iron Gray

2nd Race

Blue Star
Daylight Eve
Champagne Bay

3rd Race

Coo Coo Bay
Tenorio
Mignonette

4th Race

Valley Hall
Bannjolina
Cy-Pres

5th Race

Portia
Ration
Rosy Morn

6th Race

Liberty Bay
Herman
Guy Crusader

7th Race

Black Velvet
Hey Tor
Springfield

8th Race

Trentbridge
Magnolia
For-sc

9th Race

Cyclamen Bay
King's Bounty
Bug and Baggage

10th Race

The Giraffe
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11th Race

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The Gowit
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12th Race

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The 15-min. interval will be taken after the fifth race in the first four days.

MEMBERS' BADGES AND
ENCLOSURE.

Members are reminded that their ladies must wear their badges prominently displayed.

No one without a badge will be admitted to the Members' Enclosure. Badges admitting non-members to the Members' Enclosure and Club Rooms at \$10.00 per day, including tax—or \$40.00 including tax for the Meeting (Indies \$5.00 and \$20.00 respectively), are obtainable through the Secretary upon introduction by a Member, such Member to be responsible for all costs, etc.

Badges admitting to Members' Enclosure will NOT be on sale at the Race Course.

The Secretary's Office, 3rd Floor, Gloucester Building, (Tel. 27794) will close at 10 a.m. on the first four days, and at 12.30 p.m. on the fifth day.

A limited number of Tiffins will be obtainable each day at the Club House, provided they are ordered in advance, from the No. 1 Boy, Telephone, No. 21920.

No pretext will children be permitted in either enclosure during the first four days of the Meeting.

PUBLIC ENCLOSURE.

The price of admission to the Public Enclosure is \$4.00 per day including tax for all persons including ladies, and is payable at the Gate.

Soldiers and Sailors in uniform are admitted to the Public Enclosure at \$1.00 per day including tax.

Bookmakers, Tic Tac men etc. will not be permitted to operate within the premises of The Hong Kong Jockey Club during the Race Meeting.

Tiffins will be obtainable in the Restaurant in the Public Enclosure.

SERVANTS' PASSES.

Passes for Servants will be issued on application to the Secretary, 3rd Floor, Gloucester Building.

Employers are requested to distribute them with discrimination and to endorse their names on the passes.

Servants are not permitted in the Members' Enclosure except for passing through on their duties but must remain in their employers' stands.

Any persons found loitering with Servants' passes in their possession will forfeit the same and will be removed from the enclosure.

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C. B. BROWN,
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COO COO BAY BEATEN

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nessed, particularly in the Cosmopolitan Plate, which resulted in a dead-heat between Banjolina and Valley Hall.

The Trial Plate, the main race of the day, was easily won by Trenbridge, who started a firm favourite, and won in a canter.

RESULTS

1. The Wong-Nel-Chong Stakes—Winner \$700. Second \$300. Third \$200. For China Ponies, Subscription Griffins of this Club of this Meeting. Weight for inches as per scale. (Jockey Allowance). Half a Mile. Waysook's The Goat (162) (Mr. Clark) 1 Suraton's Jack O' Lantern Unplaced pony (\$50)—No. 858. (165) (Mr. T. L. Wong) 2 L.T.F.'s Gold Box (165) (Mr. Pan) 3 21 starters. Three lengths; one length. Time:—59.2 secs. Par-Mutuel:—Win, \$9.40; places, \$7.00, \$25.10, \$30.80.

2. The Old Course Plate.—Winner \$600. Second \$300. Third \$200. For China Ponies that have started in at least five Extra Meetings of this Club during 1932, and have not won more than \$3,000 in stakes during 1932. Weight 149 lb. 1 lb. penalty for every \$200 or part thereof won in stakes since 1st January, 1932. (Jockey Allowance). One and a Quarter Miles.

Messrs. Dunbar and Reidy's Champagne Bay (162) (Mr. W. Hill) 1 Tally Ho's Daylight Eve (168) (Mr. A. F. Clark) 2 Mr. S. W. Tang's Pride of Tsingtao (165) (Mr. A. J. P. Heard) 3 12 starters. Three lengths; four lengths. Time:—2 min. 36.2/5 secs. Par-Mutuel:—Win, \$22; places, \$8.80, \$12.80, \$17.10.

3. The Maiden Stakes.—Winner \$1,000. Second \$300. Third \$200. For China Ponies, both side Griffins of this Meeting. Weight for inches as per scale. Six Furlongs.

Messrs. H. S. Chan and S. W. Tang's Cossack's Beauty (161) (Mr. A. J. P. Heard) 1 Mr. L. Dunbar's Coo Coo Bay (161) (Mr. W. Hill) 2 Messrs. Li and Li's Mignotte (161) (Mr. Ip Kui-ying) 3 Eleven starters. Many lengths; four lengths. Time:—1 min. 29.2/5 secs. Par-Mutuel:—Win, \$81.00; places, \$5.20, \$5.10, \$5.30.

4. The Cosmopolitan Plate.—Winner \$500. Second \$200. Third \$100. For China Ponies, Subscription Griffins of this Club of any Season that have started in at least five Extra Meetings of this Club during 1932, and have not won more than \$5,000 in stakes during 1932. Weight 149 lb. 1 lb. penalty for every \$200 or part thereof won in stakes since 1st January, 1932. (Jockey Allowance). From the Two Mile Post Once Round and In (about One Mile 171 Yards).

Mr. Mok Hing-wing's Banjolina (166) (Mr. C. U. Da Roza) + Valley's Valley Hall (160) (Mr. D. S. Li) + C.C.C.'s Amoy (164) (Mr. S. N. Pan) 3 + Dead heat. 11 starters. Dead heat; three lengths. Time:—2 min. 20.4/5 secs. Par-Mutuel:—Win, 7.20 (Banjolina) and \$7.10; places: \$6.60, \$6.60, \$10.80.

5. The Sydney Maiden Stakes.—Winner \$1,000. Second \$300. Third \$200. For Australian Ponies, Griffins of this Meeting. Weight for inches as per scale. Six Furlongs.

E.S.K.'s Night Star (155) (Mr. D. S. Li) 1

Mr. A. E. M. Raftek's City of Brisbane (158) (Mr. E. O. Butler) 2 Rain's The Raincloud (158) (Mr. A. J. P. Heard) 3 14 starters. Five lengths. Time:—1 min. 22.3/5 secs. Par-Mutuel:—Win \$84; places, \$19.90; \$16.70; \$16.60.

6. The Foochow Cup.—Winner \$700. Second \$300. Third \$200. For China Ponies, both side Griffins of this Club of this Meeting. Weight for inches as per scale. Six Furlongs.

Mr. E. H. M. Tinson's Hey Tor (162) (Mr. T. L. Wong) 2 Mr. H. S. Chan's Flying Boy (168) (Mr. Ip Kui-ying) 3 Twenty starters. Three lengths; two lengths. Time:—1 min. 33.4/5 secs. Par-Mutuel:—Win \$22.80; places, \$10.90, \$11.30, \$57.80.

7. The Trial Plate.—Winner \$1,000. Second \$300. Third \$200. For China Ponies, both side Griffins of this Club of this Meeting. Weight for inches as per scale. One and a Half Miles.

Mrs. Dunbar's Sitting Bull (154) (Mr. L. G. Front) 1 Mr. Chan Wing-yung's Gay Crusader (158) (Mr. Y. T. Fung) 2 Four starters. One and a half lengths; two lengths. Time:—3 min. 05 secs. Par-Mutuel:—Win \$8.40; places, \$8.00, \$7.10.

8. The Valley Stakes.—Winner \$1,000. Second \$300. Third \$200. For China Ponies, Subscription Griffins of this Club of this Meeting. Weight for inches as per scale. Six Furlongs.

Messrs. Mackie and Grayburn's Swallow (152) (Mr. V. Nee) 1 Mr. Woo Lal-in's Spotted Butterfly (158) (Mr. S. N. Pan) 2 Seven starters. Many lengths; length and a half. Time:—2 min. 39.2/5 secs. Par-Mutuel:—Win \$5.70; places, \$5.30, \$5.90, \$5.70.

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FRENCH DEPUTIES HOAXED

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OPPRESSED STATE OF U.S.A."

RESULTS

French parliamentarians are not renowned for their general knowledge, especially of the world outside France, but the ignorance revealed by a practical joke which has just been played on some deputies has surprised even the detractors of democracy.

A number of students, anxious to test the degree of culture in the Chamber, conceived the plan of addressing a bogus appeal to its members on behalf of Guatemala and Newfoundland, suffering under the heel, as they alleged, of American imperialism.

In a circular letter to sixty-eight Radical and Socialist deputies they set forth in moving terms the distressed condition of these "two States of the Americas Republic" and requested support for their cause.

The letter was headed "League for the Ethical Defence of the Newfoundlanders and Guatamalan: Sir Stanley Guerrero-Geneva, 7, rue Jean Jacques-Rousseau."

After drawing attention to the fact that Newfoundland and Guatemala are deprived of the privileges enjoyed by the "other 42 States" (there are actually 48 States), the letter goes on to explain the reasons, political, linguistic, and ethical, for this repressive and unfair treatment. "The State of Newfoundland," it says, "is inhabited by two million persons of Iberian origin, who, since Cortes conquered the country and broke the resistance of the Incas, have retained their Spanish tongue.

"For more than a century," it goes on, "we have been pressing our claims vainly without obtaining satisfaction. To cite only one example, we are the only States not represented in the Senate at Washington, while other States, such as New York, elect a dozen senators. At the moment when Yankee Imperialism is attempting to subjugate Europe we thought the moment favourable for interesting the Continent in our unhappy lot."

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The letter then declares that over 200 German deputies and 300 English members of Parliament, including Mr. Lloyd George, have promised their support to the movement of liberation, while the League of Nations, it says, has the case under consideration. It concludes by requesting a word of encouragement for the cause.

Of the seventy odd deputies thus appealed to, nine hastened to reply promising their adhesion. Among the letters received, one signed by M. Romantin, successful candidate at the last election in the Sarthe department, which has been printed in full by the *Echo de Paris*, may be taken as an example.

"I am astounded," writes M. Romantin from the warmth of his Republican heart, "that a democratic country like America tolerates different treatment for the States making part of the Federation. Guatemala and Newfoundland have my fullest sympathy, and I cherish sincere desire that their just claims may be listened to and that they may be treated on terms of equality with the other 42 States of the American Republic."

PERSIAN OIL.

COMPANY CHAIRMAN TO NEGOTIATE

London, Feb. 17.

Sir John Cadman, Chairman of the Anglo-Persian Company and Mr. William Fraser, the Deputy Chairman, accompanied by experts, will shortly be leaving for Teheran to discuss with the Persian Government the settlement of the oil dispute arising out of the recent cancellation of the Company's D'Arcy concession.—*Reuter's Special*.

(Mr. A. F. Clark) 1 Mrs. E. H. M. Tinson's Hey Tor (Mr. T. L. Wong) 2 Mr. H. S. Chan's Flying Boy (168) (Mr. Ip Kui-ying) 3 Twenty starters. Three lengths; two lengths. Time:—1 min. 33.4/5 secs. Par-Mutuel:—Win \$22.80; places, \$10.90, \$11.30, \$57.80.

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SUNDIAL CENSUS 51 ON CHURCHES IN WORCESTERSHIRE

In order to preserve the mass-clocks, or primitive sundials, which are still to be found on a great number of Worcestershire churches, the Bishop of Worcester recently addressed a letter to all incumbents asking that a search be made for any mass-clocks and

that particulars be reported. The replies have now been summarised and added to under the direction of Sir John Sumner, to whom the plan was primarily due, and the Diocesan Advisory Committee now possess a practically complete inventory of every mass-clock in the diocese. The inventory shows that mass-clocks are on 64 churches, exclusive of the disused chapel at Netherton, or rather less than a quarter of the total number of churches in the diocese (over 200).

The Worcestershire dial appears to date from Norman times to the Fourteenth or early Fifteenth Centuries, one alone dating possibly from Saxon times—namely, the dial on a stone re-erected inside Pirton Church, which shows pre-Norman markings, and was discovered some years ago buried under the nave floor.

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Application for re-sealing of the exemplification of probate of the will of Look Yan-kit alias Luk Tuan-nan alias See Yip-tong, who died at his residence 29, Upper Pickering Street, Singapore, on July 11, 1931, leaving estate valued at \$38,000, has been granted to Mr. D. L. Stralton, on behalf of Lee Seng-foon, Look Chun-cheng, all of Singapore.

Lung Lam (or Loong Lum) alias Lung Foo-lam alias Lam Lung (or Loong), a Chief-Chinese Revenue Officer, late of 22, Tung Street, left estate valued at \$17,000. Letters of administration to the estate have been granted to deceased's younger brother, Lung Wing, deceased's mother, widow and concubine having renounced letters of administration.

Letters of administration with the will annexed to the \$11,000 estate of Kwan Ku alias Kwan Kui-kin alias Kwan Fat-hol, late of 71, Bonham Strand, have been granted to his son, Kwan Kong-nam.

Mrs. Hilda Marion Lintott, late of Barham Glebe, Claydon, Ipswich, in the county of Suffolk, and formerly of Colombo, Ceylon, who died at the Burlington Nursing Home, Ipswich, on April 23, 1932, left estate valued at \$7,700. Application for the re-sealing of a sealed copy of the probate of the will and codicil has been granted to Mr. G. N. Tinson for deceased's husband, Lieut. A. J. C. Lintott, of Barham Glebe, Ipswich.

SHAW IN SHANGHAI
AIMS HIS SHAFTS AT IRELAND

Shanghai, Feb. 17. Leaving for Woosung early this morning, Madame Sun Yat-sen breakfasted with Bernard Shaw on the Empress of Britain. Mr. Shaw landed early this afternoon and motored to Mr. Sun Fo's residence where he chatted with Madame Sun Yat-sen.

News agency and newspaper correspondents scoured the town for him and eventually traced and besieged him there.

Interviewed by Reuter this afternoon, Mr. Shaw indulged in his usual provocative and unexpected remarks. Aligning himself with Jesus, John of Arc and Socrates, Mr. Shaw declared that if the people of the world knew what he was driving at they would summarily exterminate him. He had no set views on anything except Socialism.

Mr. Shaw wanted to know "what that fellow de Valera is?" He had heard he was a Filipino who had not tired of the tories so he started something hot in the Emerald Isle, do Valera had no improved conditions in Ireland but perhaps this was due to the age-old Irish custom of electing 60 men to govern the country and then appointing 50 more to prevent them Governing.

Mr. Shaw was disgusted with the ridiculous opposition to Communism in every country he had visited. The so-called Communists in China were not Communists but pirates who looted their fellowmen.—Reuter's Morning Post Special.

I.I.D. CERTIFICATES.

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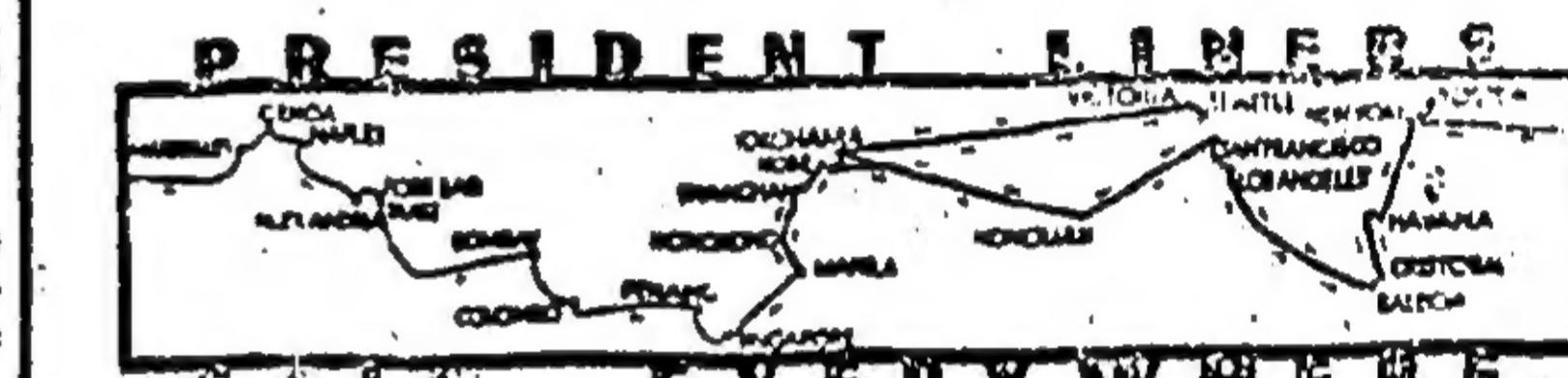
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By W. E. McKenney

How many different types of bids are there in the one over one system? No more than in the system of common sense.

The difference between the one over one and most systems is that, in other systems, one may blindly plunge after an unknown value, while the one over one system proceeds carefully and cautiously until the proper goal is found.

As explained in my previous article, the first bid to learn is the sign-off bid. Learn when to sign off, when to recognize a sign-off bid, and be sure to use it whenever in doubt.

The most important bid in the system is the constructive bid. As stated, this bid invites, but does not demand, a response from partner.

An opening bid is termed a constructive bid. It is not necessary for partner to make a jump shift force to continue the bidding. He realizes when the original bidder opens the bidding that he is endeavouring to locate the best spot at which to play the hand.

Therefore, if you hold any promising cards, make a constructive bid. Now partner, if he has not already shown the full strength of his hand, will make another constructive bid. When a side has made three constructive bids, game is probable. When a side makes four constructive bids, game is practically certain.

You may ask, "How shall I recognize constructive bids?" Any bid that is not a sign-off bid is a constructive bid.

For example, the opening bidder bids one heart. This is a constructive bid. Partner bids one no trump—sign-off bid.

Now, supposing the original bidder bids two diamonds. This would be a constructive bid asking partner to make a choice of your two suits and also informing him that, even though he had signed off, you have very good hand and are willing to make a further try on the hand.

If partner were now to respond with two hearts, this would not be a constructive bid—he would be rebidding a suit already named by you and would simply be taking a choice of your two suits. As a matter of fact, he has made a double sign-off bid and you should not proceed further with the hand.

Supposing that you had opened with one heart and partner had bid two clubs. While this is a takeout in another suit and it may be made with a hand none too strong, however, it is constructive in nature. Partner at least has offered something new.

Now, if you bid two diamonds, you are making a third constructive bid, which is a try for game, and should not be passed by partner unless his first constructive bid is extremely weak.

As a matter of fact, the writer prefers that when a second suit is shown after partner has made a constructive bid, that the second suit shown should be treated as a forcing bid—not a game demand force, and one that should be termed temporary force.

The temporary forces are as follows:

The showing of a second suit. The one over one force, and the informative double.

Note: The one over one forcing bid plays only a part in the complete one over one system of contract bidding.

Sir Robert's public services extended to several Committees mainly on wireless and transport. He was knighted in 1924. Reuter and I. B. S.

JAPAN REJECTS PROPOSALS**TOKYO CABINET MEETS**

Tokyo, Feb. 17.

All newspapers report that a special Cabinet Council will be held to-day to consider the League's Recommendations, but according to the Yomiuri, the Cabinet will hold a two-day conference, at which, to-day, it will decide the question whether Japan should withdraw from the League, while to-morrow it will decide the question of Johol.

In a press interview last night General Araki, Minister for War, declared that a final decision has not yet been taken. He expressed the belief that Japan would be compelled to withdraw from the League as the recommendations were not entirely opposed to Japan's fixed policies regarding recognition of Manchukuo, direct negotiations between Japan and China and the stationing of troops in Manchuria.—Reuter.

Recommendations Rejected.

Tokyo, Feb. 17.

The Cabinet is understood to have decided to reject the League's recommendations and maintain recognition of Manchukuo and direct negotiation with China.

If the Assembly passes the recommendations Japan will make a counterstatement and vote against the report, and if the Assembly passes the report, the Japanese delegate will withdraw to London or Paris and await developments.

Reuter.

In Manchuria.

Harbin, Feb. 16.

The Volunteers have occupied Mishan and Hulin, following the withdrawal of the Japanese troops from those places.

Four hundred well-armed volunteers stoutly withheld for 35 hours the siege by Japanese forces of Tauchenshang, but finally the volunteers withdrew to the East and to the West. The Japanese admit that five were killed and five wounded.—Reuter.

OBITUARY**VETERAN JOURNALIST PASSES**

London, Feb. 17.

The death occurred here to-day of Sir Robert Donald, veteran newspaper proprietor, journalist and publisher.

Sir Robert, who was born in Banffshire, Scotland, in 1861, entered journalism at an early age and had experience in Edinburgh, Northampton, Paris, New York and London. He became Editor of the London *Daily Chronicle* in 1902 and held that position until 1918 and was Managing Director of United Newspapers Limited. He retained an interest in several London newspapers and had been Chairman and Managing Director of Everyman Publishing Company Ltd. for several years. He founded the Municipal Journal in 1893 and Municipal Year Book.

When the British Empire Exhibition was held in 1924, Sir Robert was appointed Chairman of the Publicity Committee. He was responsible for the inquiry which led to the reorganisation of the exhibition.

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TOBACCO PREFERENCE NEW ORDER BY LOCAL GOVERNMENT

TEN PER CENT.

Under a resolution which is to be introduced in the Legislative Council, and which has already been given the full force of law under an order made by the Governor, Empire tobacco, cigars and cigarettes are to be given a preference of approximately ten per cent.

Excepting for a slight increase in respect of cigarettes, the duties on non-Empire products remain unaltered.

EMPIRE ORIGIN DEFINED

For the purpose of the resolution, tobacco is deemed to be of "Empire Origin" if it is proved to the satisfaction of the Superintendent of Imports and Exports to have been grown and consigned from the British Empire, which for the purposes of this Table shall be deemed the United Kingdom, the Dominion of Canada, the Commonwealth of Australia, the Dominion of New Zealand, the Union of South Africa, the Irish Free State, Newfoundland, India including Burmah, any British Colony, any territory under His Majesty's protection, the Mandated territories of Tanganyika, or Cameroons under British Mandate, or Togoland under British Mandate.

EMPIRE MANUFACTURE

Tobacco shall be deemed to be of "Empire Manufacture" if it is proved to the satisfaction of the Superintendent of Imports and

Exports to have been substantially manufactured in and consigned from the British Empire, as defined above: Provided that no tobacco shall be deemed to be substantially manufactured within the British Empire unless, in the opinion of the Superintendent of Imports and Exports, at least one quarter of its value, in the result of labour within such Empire.

NEW DUTIES.

The revised table of duties, per pound weight, is as follows:

Unmanufactured Tobacco.

(1) If unstripped:

(a) containing 10 pounds or more moisture per 100 pounds weight thereof:

I. If of Empire Origin 60 cents.

II. Other tobacco 70 cents.

(b) containing less than 10 pounds of moisture per 100 pounds weight thereof:

I. If of Empire Origin 72 cents.

II. Other tobacco 79 cents.

(2) If stripped:

(a) containing 10 pounds or more of moisture per 100 pounds weight thereof:

I. If of Empire Origin 76 cents.

II. Other tobacco 84 cents.

(b) containing less than 10 pounds of moisture per 100 pounds weight thereof:

I. If of Empire Origin 84 cents.

II. Other tobacco 93 cents.

Manufactured Tobacco:

(1) Cigars:

I. If of Empire Origin & manufacture \$1.60.

II. If of Empire manufacture only \$1.80.

III. Other cigars \$2.00.

(2) Cigarettes:

I. If of Empire Origin & manufacture \$0.81.

II. If of Empire manufacture only \$0.90.

III. On Chinese prepared tobacco \$0.90.

IV. Other varieties \$0.99.

LEAGUE PUBLISHES REPORT

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the same article. The Report is a lengthy document of some 15,000 words.

The Assembly recommends the evacuation of Japanese troops with the Negotiations Committee charged, as its first object, to organise the evacuation and determine the stages and the time limit thereof.

NEW REGIME.

It is further recommended that there should be established in Manchuria, within a reasonable time, an organisation under the sovereignty of and compatible with the administrative integrity of China, which would provide a wide measure of autonomy in harmony with local conditions and respect the rights and interests of Japan and any third party.

As has already been reported, the recommendations provide for the Negotiating Committee to be set up after China and Japan have accepted the recommendations, the United States and Russia being invited to participate.

The League Assembly will meet on Tuesday to take note of the failure of conciliation, and on Friday, it will be asked to accept the report and recommendations which it will undoubtedly do.

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